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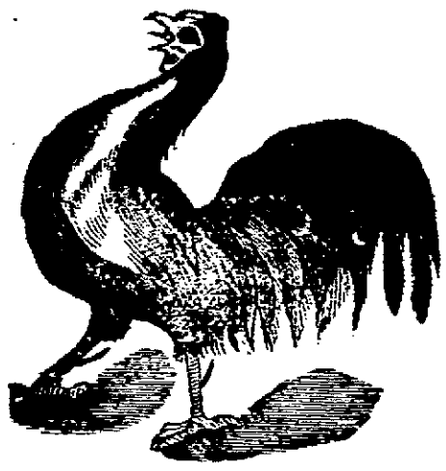

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HARRISBURG LETTER.

Measures That Occupy the Attention of the Lawmakers.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION BILL

Amended to Exclude Bread Winners From Thirteen to Sixteen Who Can Read or Write—Bill Increasing Marriage License Fee Defeated.

Harrisburg, April 10.—The Philadelphia board of revision of taxes bill was again reported to the house yesterday, with amendments. The bill as amended provides for the election of the board at the November election, instead of February, and fixes the term of the members at three years, instead of four. It provides also that "the members of the board of revision of taxes shall be and they are hereby established as county officers."

Mr. Coray, of Luzerne, called up the postponed bill to allow relatives or friends of persons who die in almshouses and prisons to claim their bodies for burial. He explained that the bill was introduced by the late Mr. Cotter, of McKean, whose funeral took place yesterday, and suggested that it be passed as a matter of sentiment. The bill passed by a vote of 119 to 33.

The judicial apportionment bill was amended in committee of the whole by fixing the number of judges in Blair county at one instead of two.

The bill to provide for safety guards upon passenger and freight elevators was indefinitely postponed.

The bill increasing the marriage license fee from 50 cents to $1 was defeated.

The Ford compulsory education bill was amended so as to provide that it shall not apply to children between 13 and 16 years who can read or write the English language intelligently and are regularly engaged in any useful employment or service.

The Chew bill punishing kidnaping for extortion by 20 years' imprisonment passed third reading.

The bill providing that district attorneys in counties whose population does not exceed 100,000 shall be paid a salary in lieu of fees was amended to apply only to counties having a population of more than 150,000.

The bill making it unlawful for first cousins to be joined in marriage was amended so as to provide that it shall not become operative until Jan. 1, 1902.

Mr. Coray, of Luzerne, callad up his resolution asking for information relative to the granting of warrants to certain persons for state lands in the bed of the Monongahela river. After striking out the names of persons mentioned as having secured such concessions the resolution was adopted.

The senate held a short session last night and cleared the calendar of bills on first and second reading. Several new bills were introduced.

The Fox capitol building bill came in for considerable discussion when it came up in the senate on third reading on Thursday of last week. Mr. Flinn, of Allegheny, offered an amendment that the names of State Treasurer Barnett, Auditor General-elect Hardenberg, President Pro Tem. Snyder and Speaker Marshall be stricken out as members of the commission and those of J. B. Jackson and William McConway of Pittsburg, John C. Bullitt of Philadelphia and William Hasson of Venango be substituted. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 23 to 14.

Among bills introduced in the senate Thursday last were: By Mr. Grady, Philadelphia, providing for submitting to the people at the next general election a proposed constitutional amendment which will permit the use of voting machines at elections; by Mr. Fox, of Dauphin, allowing legitimate and illegitimate children born from the same mother dying without children to inherit real and personal property from each other, in exclusion to the grandmother of the illegitimate children, as though they had been born in lawful wedlock (the same bill was introduced in the house).

In the house last Thursday Mr. Kendall, Somerset, presented a bill providing for the appointment by the chief of the bureau of mines of four sealers of weights and measures for the bituminous coal mines, who shall be paid a salary of $1,000 annually. To falsify scales, cars or other vessels is punishable by a fine of $500 and six months' imprisonment.

Among bills passed finally in the house were: Providing that there shall be kept at the bottom of every slope and shaft in the anthracite region a chest containing surgical appliances for use in case of accident.

A resolution was offered in the house on Monday night last by Mr. Coray, of Luzerne, requesting Attorney General Elkin and Secretary of Internal Affairs Latta to inform the house not later than April 17 whether any applications were filed in or warrants granted by the internal affairs department since Jan. 1, 1901, for any public lands of the commonwealth in beds of rivers or minerals thereunder, and if so whether any such warrants were authorized or issued by direction of the board of property, and if so by what authority and what act of assembly.

Mr. Palm, of Crawford, offered a concurrent resolution that a commission of five be appointed, two from the senate and three from the house, to inquire into the subject of capital punishment with a view to ascertaining its effect toward repression of crime.

Mr. Harris, of Clearfield, offered a concurrent resolution, which was adopted, that a commission consisting of nine persons learned in the law be appointed by the governor to report to the next legislature a general and comprehensive law regulating incorporation and management of corporations.

Mr. Dixon, of Elk, made a formal announcement of the death of Representative P. R. Cotter, of McKean, whose funeral took place this afternoon at his late home at Eldred. A committee was appointed to attend the funeral.

These bills were read in place: Appropriating $5,000 to the Fredonia institute, at Fredonia, Mercer county; appropriating $25,000 for the erection of a hospital for injured miners in the anthracite region at Taylor, Lackawanna county.

Murdered by a Highwayman.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 10.—Adam Rhoads, a well known citizen of Parsons, a small mining town three miles north of this city, was brutally murdered on the public highway at an early hour yesterday morning. Rhoads, with a comrade named Matthew Cooper, spent the evening in Wilkesbarre. Shortly after midnight they returned to Parsons. At the depot they parted company to go to their respective homes. Rhoads had not gone far up the street until Cooper heard him cry murder. He went to his assistance, and when he came near the spot where he was lying on the ground he saw a man run away. A doctor living near by was summoned, but when he arrived the man was dead, having been stabbed in the neck. Cooper thinks the murdered man was held up by a Slav.

Wrote Threatening Letters.

New York, April 10.—Confessing that it was he who wrote the letters to George H. Penniman threatening to blow up the latter's house on Fifth avenue unless a sum of money were placed in a hiding place where he could find it, Elias C. Katz, 18 years old, is a prisoner at police headquarters, having been arrested by detectives who shadowed him for more than 24 hours. The boy said he wrote the threatening letters because he wanted to raise money enough to go on the stage. Two letters were written to Mr. Penniman, the first demanding $500 and the second $700. The letters were signed "Nihilist."

Gold Bars Stolen on the Ocean.

Cherbourg, April 10.—On the arrival here yesterday of the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Captain Engelbart, from New York April 2, it was announced that three gold bars, worth £4,000 each, had been stolen during the voyage. All the baggage landed here was examined with the utmost care by the customs officers and detectives, but the gold was not discovered. Of the passengers 150 landed for Paris, and several detectives traveled in the special train with them.

The coal workers at Marseilles, France, decided to resume work yesterday, and with this decision the prolonged strike came finally to an end.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Philadelphia, April 9.—Flour weak; winter superfine, $2.25@2.50; Pennsylvania roller, clear, $3.10@3.25; city mills, extra, $2.00@2.80. Rye flour inactive at $2.90 per barrel for choice Pennsylvania. Wheat dull; No. 2 red, spot, 75½@76c. Corn quiet and steady; No. 2 mixed, spot, 48@48½c.; No. 2 yellow, for local trade, 49¾@50c. Oats in fair demand; No. 2 white, clipped, 33½c.; lower grades, 29@32c. Hay firm; No. 1 timothy, $17 for large bales. Beef firm; beef hams, $18@19.50. Pork dull; family, $17@17.50. Lard easy; western steamed, $8.65. Live poultry quoted at 12c. for fat hens, 7½@8c. for old roosters, 15@18c. for winter chickens, 25@30c. for spring chickens, 12@13c. for ducks and 9@11c. for geese. Dressed poultry at 10½@11c for choice fowls, 7½c. for old roosters, 25@35c. for nearby broilers, 10@13c. for frozen chickens and 9@12c. for frozen turkeys. Butter strong; fresh creamery, 18@22c.; factory, 11@14½c.; imitation creamery, 14@18½c.; New York dairy, 15@21c.; fancy Pennsylvania prints jobbing at 24@27c.; extra prints at 23c. Cheese steady; fancy large colored, 11¼@11½c.; fancy large white, 11@11¼c.; fancy small colored, 12¼@12½c.; small white fancy, 12@12¼c. Eggs steady; New York and Pennsylvania, at mark, 14@14½c.; storage, western, 14@14½c.; western, fresh, 14c.; southern, at mark, 13@13½c. Potatoes quiet; Jerseys, $1.25@1.50; New York, $1.9@1.62½; Long Island, $1.50@1.75; Jersey sweets, $1.50@2.25. Cabbages steady; New York at $14@18 per ton.

East Liberty, Pa., April 9.—Cattle market steady; extra, $5.60@5.75; prime, $5.25@5.50; common, $3.25@4. Hogs steady; prime mediums and heavy hogs, $6.30@6.35; heavy Yorkers, $6.25@6.30; light do., $6.15@6.20; pigs, $5.90@6; skits, $5@5.50; roughs, $4.50@5.75. Sheep steady; best clipped wethers, $4.75@4.85; common, $2@3.50; choice, $5.25@5.35; common to good, $4@5.15; veal calves, $5.50@6.

TWO VESSELS WRECKED

And Five Sailors Lost Their Lives on the Rocks.

GHASTLY STORY OF CANNIBALISM

Driven Insane by Hunger and Thirst, Suffering Sailors Kill and Eat Their Companions—Two Survivors of the Horror Landed at Singapore.

Gloucester, Mass., April 8.—The southeast storm, just before the Easter dawn, threw upon the jagged rocks of Eastern Point the old Calais two-masted schooner Hyena, and within an hour the waves had torn her to pieces and swept off her crew of four men. Two of them, Elmer and Bennett Stanley, managed to reach shore and dragged their bruised bodies up the rocks, but her skipper, Capt. R. B. Dix, of West Tremont, Me., and Steward Fuller failed to gain the shore and were probably drowned or killed by being dashed on the rocks.

Elmer Stanley thinks it was about 3 a. m. when he sighted surf off the starboard bow, but Capt. Dix, believing that there was sufficient water, kept right on, until suddenly the waves were sighted breaking right ahead and almost immediately a great wave threw the vessel onto the rocks. The schooner began to pound and strain and the crew cleared away the only boat in the hope of sighting shore. Bennett Stanley jumped into the boat and the next wave swept the boat far out of reach of the other men. He was in the boat scarcely a minute when it capsized, leaving him to battle with the waves among the rocks.

The half drowned man was alternately thrown up on the beach and dragged back into the breakers. Finally he managed to gain a foothold and pulled himself up beyond the sea.

When the boat Stanley was in was washed away Capt. Dix, with the other two men, sought refuge on the bowsprit, in the hope that the schooner might hold together until morning, when the life savers would see her. But within a short time one after another of the masts were carried away, until finally the schooner was literally smashed to pieces.

ONLY ONE ESCAPED THIS WRECK.

The Captain, the Cook and a Sailor Were Drowned.

Portland, Me., April 8.—The two masted schooner Wendall Burpee, of St. John, N. B., went ashore off Cape Elizabeth shortly before noon yesterday, the captain, cook and one sailor being drowned, while the mate only was saved. The lost were Capt. Louis Mersebury, George Foster, the cook, both of St. John, and a sailor known as "English Charlie." The mate, John Swenson, of St. John, managed to reach the shore more dead than alive. The schooner will undoubtedly be a total loss, as it is expected she will have her bottom pounded out. The sea is running heavy, breaking high above the schooner.

A furious gale swept along the coast during the day, and according to the story of the mate the captain thought he was off Matinicus, Me., when the fog suddenly lifted and he found that he was near the rocks of Cape Elizabeth. It was then too late to change the course and the schooner was carried high up in Board cove, about a mile from the Cape Elizabeth life saving station. Seeing that a wreck was unavoidable the men decided to take the yawl, and had proceeded but a short distance when the craft was swamped by a heavy sea. As they were heavily dressed all excepting the mate went to their doom. The mate, after an awful struggle in the surf, nearly reached the shore, but sank back exhausted and unconscious a short distance away. He was rescued by two fishermen, who seized him before he could be washed back into deep water.

GHASTLY STORY OF CANNIBALISM.

Terrible Tale Told by Two Survivors of the Horror.

London, April 8.—The Singapore correspondent of The Daily Express wires a ghastly story of cannibalism at sea brought to Singapore by two survivors of the Nova Scotian bark Angola, wrecked six days' sail from Manila on Oct. 23 last. The correspondent says:

"The survivors, Johnnsen, a Swede, and Marticornu, a Spaniard, assert that the Angola struck a reef. Two rafts were built. The smaller, bearing five men, disappeared. The other, with 12 men, drifted for 40 days. The sailors ate barnacles, sea weed and finally their boots.

"On the 25th day two became insane and killed themselves. On the 26th a Frenchman killed the mate with an ax, drank his blood and tried to eat his brains, but was prevented by the others. Next day the Frenchman was killed while attempting to murder the captain. The survivors, all of whom were now insane, ate the Frenchman's body.

"Cannibalism continued until only Johnnsen and Marticornu remained. On the 42d day the raft stranded on Subi or Flat island, in the Natuna group (northwest of Borneo). Johnnsen and Marticornu were awfully emaciated. Friendly Malays sent them by junk to Singapore."

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Thursday, April 4.

Mrs. Maria Todd, widow of Ohio's famous war governor, died last night at Youngstown, aged 88 years.

At Danville (Pa.) insane hospital Dr. Johnson was stabbed to death by an insane Italian patient named Capello.

Jones, the valet of Millionaire Rice, testified in open court in New York that he murdered his employer at the instigation of Lawyer Patrick.

Governor Odell, of New York, has signed the bill authorizing the Pan-American Exposition company to issue second mortgage bonds to the value of $500,000.

Friday, April 5.

A report of another attempt on the life of Russia's czar, and the suicide of the assailant, lacks confirmation.

Dr. Alfred C. Lambdin has become the editor of the Philadelphia Times, succeeding A. K. McClure, who retired a few days ago.

In a railroad wreck on the Jersey Central near Elizabeth, N. J., last night Fireman John Cronin was killed and Engineer Mahoney severely hurt.

Governor Stone yesterday reappointed Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, of Lancaster, to be superintendent of public instruction of Pennsylvania for four years.

At Newkirk, O. T., Mrs. Ella Seiglin and Mrs. Daugbson fought a duel at 20 paces with revolvers, Mrs. Seiglin receiving two bullets in the breast. She will recover, and wants to fight again.

Saturday, April 6.

Chicken tamales and canned pigs' feet are to be added to our Philippines soldiers' rations.

E. J. Wolters, who tried to blackmail United States Senator Kearns, was indicted at Omaha, Neb.

Governor Stone appointed A. M. Brown of Pittsburg and J. R. Murphy of Allegheny recorders for those cities.

A resolution for a constitutional amendment legalizing the use of voting machines in Wisconsin was lost in the state senate.

J. D. Snoddy is under arrest at McKenzie, Tenn., for using the mails to defraud. He advertised to send $50 in counterfeit money for $1.

Monday, April 8.

The Arbuckle-Woolson coffee fight is to go to the supreme court of Ohio.

A boiler explosion at Buffalo Saturday killed an Italian and injured four.

John Gulick, who last week murdered his mother and brother at Klinesgrove, Pa., is under arrest.

A life prisoner, James F. Hodgdon, was liberated from prison at Thomaston, Me., by Governor Powers.

Quartermaster General Ludington has resumed his duties at the war department after two weeks in Cuba.

Thirty telephone linemen struck at Birmingham, Ala., because the management put negroes to work with them.

W. A. Clark and wife and Lee L. Clark have been arrested at Buffalo by postal authorities, charged with swindling.

Tuesday, April 9.

Imports into Cape Colony last year, £17,000,000.

Ex-Congressman Matt D. Logan died at New Orleans, yesterday, aged 72.

At Odessa, Russia, there have been 1,500 arrests during the last few days.

Judge Taft, it is understood, is to be civil governor of the Philippine islands.

The flood scare in New England has died out, though there have been heavy losses.

Printers throughout the country have accepted the arbitration plan proposed by the Publishers' association.

The combine of department stores in great cities, headed by John Claflin, of New York, is assured. Capital $20,000,000.

Detective Fred Hayes and Miss Jenanette Evans, of Chicago, were married at the home of the latter's sister in Cincinnati, while the bride was dying from pneumonia. She lived five hours after the ceremony.

Wednesday, April 10.

Governor P. T. Woodfin, of the National Soldiers' Home at Hampton, Va., is dying from Bright's disease.

A seat on New York's Stock Exchange sold yesterday for $58,000. The highest price paid heretofore, $55,000.

Texas' legislature, which adjourned yesterday, passed a bill which entirely prohibits the sale of cigarettes in the state.

In the Wisconsin legislature a joint resolution for a constitutional amendment to enable women to vote was killed.

Negotiations are now on for the consolidation of all the sewer pipe manufactories into one corporation, with a capital of about $12,200,000.

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TO AN OLD CLOCK.

BY JAMES JEFFREY ROCHE.

Old clock, if you've come here to give advice
About Time's flight.
And think to scare us with your wheels—think twice—
Go slow to-night.

Dull preacher of one dreary, weary creed
By Death inspired.
The limits of our patience you exceed
And make us tired.

No need for you to tell the lapse of life
With tick and chime.
Who made you Umpire, bidding us to strife,
By calling "Time?"

You stand there, like a Pharisee of yore,
Proclaiming grace.
With two admonitory hands before
Your smug, flat face.

Although you know the time of day at home,
Beware mistakes:
It's yesterday in China now. In Rome
To-morrow breaks.

And somewhere off in Mars or Mercury, no doubt,
If it could speak
For us to hear, some clock to-night bawls out,
"'Tis Tuesday week!"

While one on t'other side of space (maybe
You'll call it slow)
Is marking time at "half-past twenty-three
Six weeks ago!"

So don't get gay with humble sons of men,
As some clocks do:
One day your wheels will slacken up, and then
Good-Night to you!

—Saturday Evening Post.

A FIRING LINE MYSTERY.

Life Secret of Young Bond, Whose Lips a Bullet Sealed.

THE Kansas man had served with Funston in the Philippines, had returned safely, had been a town hero for a month or so, and then went on the stump in the campaign. Several of the campaign orators met for a Sunday in a Western hotel where their roads crossed in their journeys to assignments, and were comparing notes. The man who had served with Funston gradually assumed command of the conversation, and the talk drifted from a discussion of the question why men rushed to serve in the Philippine campaign to one of the problems why men, in many cases, unexpectedly, show not only rare bravery but downright recklessness in battle. The Kansas man, for whom the name Maxwell will do so far as this article is concerned, said:

"As I was saying, we found men out there who had been wild, and whose parents were glad to see them enter the army; we found men who had been crossed in love; we found men who had been a failure in life, even if they were mere youths; we found many daredevils, and, curiously enough, most of them were cautious on the firing line; we found some who had pasts that they wanted forgotten; we found some under assumed names, for one reason or another; we found the usual number of bullies, braggarts and bluffers, and being once under fire was the cure for them. But all these made up a very small number in comparison with those who had enlisted for love of country, with perhaps a desire for adventure thrown in.

"But of all the curious characters I came across the strangest was a man named Bond. He was silent as to his past; he made few friends; there was a glitter in his eye if we were in danger which was positively magnetic, and we came gradually to respect his reserve and to be proud of him. There was one man in our company, however, whose propensity for nosing into others' affairs was especially marked, and who, it was plain to be seen, was offensive to Bond. The name of Peters will do for this inquisitive man. He was a good fellow, and meant nothing more than friendly interest when he was poking around to find out all about his companions, and we learned at last to overlook his weakness—all but Bond. It was evident that Bond was desirous of curing Peters or of punishing him for his offensive behavior. Bond gradually became reckless on the firing line. Any one could see it was not assumed, but was genuine, and this conduct deepened the mystery as to his past and made Peters the more zealous to find out all about him.

"One day Bond fell with a wound. Peters carried him to the rear, cared for him, stayed by him as long as he could, did everything that could be done under the circumstances, like offering to write home, and all that sort of thing. He was apparently sizing up his chances of living. He was also thinking whether it was worth while to forgive Peters for the past or to give him a thrust he would never forget. It was about midnight that Peters returned to his place with us, and the next morning he had a story to tell to three of us in whom he confided."

Maxwell paused and, just as his hearers were becoming uneasy, he said this was the story Peters had related:

"Boys, we've got a murderer among us, not only a murderer, but the worst kind of a one, a man who killed his father, and who, if it were proved against him, would, up to this time, have pretended that it was an accident. He's Bond. It explains why he has been so reckless lately; he wanted to be killed. Matter of conscience, you see. He whispered it all to me, asked me to write home, saying that he was dead and had passed away forgiving every one and revealing the secret. His name isn't Bond, but I'm under pledge not to tell what it is. He asked me to write without waiting for him to die actually, and he wanted me to get him reported dead so that it would be cabled home; said his friends would recognize him under the assumed name. It's a mighty sad story.

"Bond told me that he came from Ohio. His father was a bank president and was found murdered in the bank vault two years ago. Robbers had killed him and made their escape. He had evidently surprised them. Young Bond was the real murderer. He was just under twenty-one. He had been stealing from his father's private business for more than a year so as to keep on gambling with a fast set of young fellows whom a sharper got together regularly and was plundering right along. On Bond's twenty-first birthday there had to be a settlement of the books, for his father intended to take him into business partnership. Bond had to have no less than $5000 to make good his stealings. There was no other way left to him than to steal it. He knew all about the bank, the combinations to the locks, the ways of the watchman and all that, and he had studied up knock-out drops. He left some liquor that had been doctored with drugs for the watchman to drink, knowing the man's weakness, and the rest was easy. He entered the bank from the rear stealthily, having made sure that the watchman was unconscious, had just got into the inner vault, when he heard a noise and saw a dim light in the outer room. He knew it could not be the watchman, and at once raised his revolver for action and crouched to one side. Then he heard a voice, saying: 'My God, I must have killed him. I didn't know it was so powerful. Wake up, Mike!'

"There was no response, and Bond says he recognized the voice as that of his father just in time, for he intended to shoot and escape in a rush if possible. Then Bond became conscious of his own danger. His father might shoot him. The father soon saw the open doors of the vault. 'What does this mean?' he said. 'Mike, you didn't do this; you couldn't! Who is there? Speak, or I'll shoot. Quick!' Then it was that Bond saw he had no show and he shouted to his father not to shoot, and revealed his own identity.

"Then there followed a strange scene in that bank vault. There were the father, the son and the unconscious watchman together in the early hours of the morning. 'What does this mean, son?' said the father, sternly. 'Has it come to this—my son a bank robber?' Young Bond said he was game, and he replied: 'What are you doing here? Are you a bank robber yourself? Who put Mike in this condition?' You see he had overheard his father make that exclamation about Mike, and he took chances. 'Explain your position on the inside of that vault,' said the father. 'Explain what you said about not knowing that something was so powerful when you saw Mike,' said the son. And then the father broke down completely and the son went to pieces, and each, thinking that Mike was about to die, confessed to the other. The father had been speculating in the Eastern markets, had used up a lot of trust funds in his charge, and the only way for him to get out was to rob his own bank. He had also left some knock-out drops for the watchman, and it was the combined dose that made father and son think that the man would die. The son owned up to the father, and then followed a discussion as to what was best to be done.

"They agreed that the bank must be robbed; that was their only salvation. They agreed also that it would be best for one of them to appear to be defending the bank's treasure. It was finally decided that it would be best for the son to wound the father slightly in the side, take enough money to suit their purposes and leave his father there to be discovered in the morning. The old man said he was so desperate that he would take chances, and he would tell a story about feeling uneasy in his dreams as to the condition of affairs at the bank and of getting up in the night and going down there to see if all was right, of encountering a robber or set of robbers, of having a mighty struggle with them, ending, so far as he could recollect, with a revolver shot which made him unconscious. He had no fear as to Mike. If Mike recovered he would be so ashamed of being drunk that he would invent some story of being gagged, especially as father and son had arranged to bind him with a gag and tie his hands.

"Then father and son planned the details of the shooting, disarranged the furniture, bound and gagged the watchman, took the money and broke the locks, and the father lay down after tearing his clothing and had the son give him what he supposed was only a slight flesh wound in the side. The old man was full of nerve, and after the shooting was over hurried the son away and told him how to act when the discovery was made in the morning. They had wounded the watchman, also.

"Bond says he went home and to bed and acted his part thoroughly when they roused him to tell him of the dreadful accident to his father. It turned out really to be a dreadful affair, for both the father and the watchman were found dead and the bank robbed. Young Bond says he made good his gambling debts and enlisted in the army so as to get away from the storm that arose when it was found that his father was insolvent. It soon became the general theory in the town that the elder Bond had gone there to rob the bank, and had been killed by a real bank robber, and there were those who thought they could remember the exact looks of certain mysterious strangers that had been seen about town.

"Bond's conscience could stand it no longer, he says, and he went to Kansas and enlisted and came out here, hoping secretly that he would be killed, for he had not the courage to commit suicide. He wanted me to write to his relatives clearing up the entire mystery, and telling them that he had expiated his crime. The one thing I can't understand," said Peters in telling the story, "is why he wants me to write all this before he dies. He must have a dreadful conscience. He said to me: 'I am wounded exactly in the place in which my father was wounded when I shot him. I know I can't live. Just tell the truth about me, and make sure that the boys will not despise me too much. I have done my duty by them and by the flag,' says he. I broke down and wept, I'll admit, and I'm prepared to say there's no living soul but has some good in them. And then there's the duty of deciding what's to be done if Bond recovers. Ought we to give him away? I say no.'

According to Maxwell the bugles just then blew for a forward movement, and soon all were lying on the firing line shooting at the Filipinos. Maxwell made another awkward pause, and one of his auditors said:

"Well, I suppose Bond really died and you fellows did the right thing by him even in death."

"Die?" said Maxwell. "Great Scott, no! At least, not then. Less than two hours after Peters had told that story Bond came stealing up to the firing line, and there he lay next to me all day working like a demon. 'I thought you were dying,' I said to him. 'Thunder, no,' he replied. 'It was only a little wound. Scarcely bled at all. When Peters wasn't around the doctor told me it amounted to nothing, but urged me to stay in the rear for the night. This morning he put a little plaster on the broken skin, and here I am again. Did Peters tell you a long story about my mysterious past? Did, eh? I thought so. I told him that yarn purposely. I thought it about time to call him off and make him a laughing stock. Pretty good story, wasn't it? Any truth in it. Thunder, no. I knew I was not hurt. Even if Bond shouldn't happen to be my real name, there's no occasion for getting up such a yarn as that. What's that? Am I hurt? Yes, old man, I guess I am.'

"I saw that he had been wounded seriously this time. I supported his head on my knee, gave him a drink of water, his eyes became fixed and between his gasps he said to me:

"'Maxwell, I guess you had better tell Peters to write that story home, after all, just as I told it to him. I thought I was dying or near to it last night when I talked to him. I'm—going—now. Be—sure—to—tell—him—to—wri——'"

"Was he really a murderer and bank robber?" asked one of Maxwell's listeners.

"The army records do not show that he was," was the response.—New York Sun.

Couldn't See Him, Anyhow.

Arthur Simmons, the venerable negro attendant at the White House, was dozing in his chair the other day when an usher rushed upstairs and said: "Man down here wants to see Mr. Cortelyou." "Can't see him," replied Arthur with dignity. "But this man says he's got to see him." "Don't care nothin' about that," said Arthur, preparing to resume his doze. "Nobody can see Secretary Cortelyou. He's gone into his sanctum sanitarium."—New York Tribune.

The Value of a Great Painting.

It appears that Turner originally disposed of his great painting "The Grand Canal, Venice," now in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, for $1000. Its value now is estimated at $125,000, and Mr. Vanderbilt is said to have paid $75,000 for it.

WOMAN'S WORLD

ENGLAND'S NEW QUEEN.

The Personal Characteristics of the Consort of Edward VII.

Millinery is one of the many accomplishments of the new Queen of England. In early life she and her Danish sisters were brought up upon decidedly narrow incomes, and had to make the most of a scanty provision for the wardrobe. The consequence was that Alexandra learned to trim her own hats and bonnets, as well as to make her frocks. This talent was not neglected when she came to England as the bride of the young Prince of Wales. If the court milliners sent home hats or bonnets which were not to her taste—if they were clumsy or unbecoming the Princess' scissors were at hand to take off the trimming and remodel the offending piece of millinery.

Very few women of her age continue to look well in the so-called straw sailor hat. Numerous pictures of the "Princess of Wales" show her fondness for this headdress. But it is not to be supposed that as Her Majesty she will be photographed in the sailor hat. Many of the recent photographs taken in England lately of Alexandra show the little straw hat in all informality. But, no doubt, as a Queen she will forego wearing it.

The story is told by a lady of the household of the late Queen Victoria that on State occasions the dressing of Her Majesty was an affair of moment. As it sometimes happened, the Queen's bonnet did not prove becoming or look sufficiently regal for the forthcoming function. Then it is said the Princess of Wales was sent for in haste to operate with her scissors, needle and thread or long pins upon the "impossible" bonnet.

Queen Victoria, it seems, had implicit faith in the good taste of her daughter-in-law, and in her capability for transforming an unbecoming bonnet into a suitable and becoming headdress. The new Queen of England has always displayed conspicuous good taste in her own dress and in that of her family.

"Mus. Doc." is an affix not many women have to their names. Her Majesty Queen Alexandra has been from early girlhood an accomplished musician. Some years ago she went to Ireland to receive her degree of Doctor of Music from Trinity College, Dublin. A London photograph shows the Princess in the crimson robes and "Oxford" cap of a Doctor of Music, as she appeared on the occasion, which was rendered something of a pageant.

In spite of her deafness and of the fact of being lame, the new Queen of England has always been considered a graceful ornament to society. It used to be said in the early days when her lameness showed itself that the court ladies adopted a slight limp, called the "Alexandra limp," to show the imitation of their royal model, which is the sincerest form of flattery. The Queen's beautiful figure and erect carriage she still preserves in her grandmotherhood.

As daughter, sister, wife and mother, Alexandra has filled all the duties of her position conscientiously, but in no other relation of life does she shine with more radiance than as a grandmother. There are numerous pictures showing her with Prince Edward of York or one of the other children of her son George in her lap. A photograph somewhat rare in this country shows Alexandra with her little granddaughter, Lady Alexander Duff, daughter of the Duchess of Fife. This picture gives the four generations in the maternal line. The Queen of Denmark is seated in an armchair, holding upon her knee little Lady Alexandra, her fair head partly covered by a large white cambric sunbonnet. Behind the chair stands the then Princess of Wales, with one hand on her mother's shoulder. The Duchess of Fife, now Princess Royal, stands beside her mother, supporting her hands on the chair in which the Queen of Denmark is seated. This is a good picture of a clannish family group.—Philadelphia Record.

Women as Station Masters.

The head of the Riazan-Ural Railway, in Russia, recently asked the Minister of Communication to allow the women who have passed their examinations at the Railway School at Saratof to hold places as station masters, baggage inspectors and telegraph superintendents. The reason assigned for the request was the scarcity of educated and trustworthy men. The permission was granted by the Minister.

There are many handsome gowns of various thin, black stuffs.

The prettiest cotton shirt waists have bishop sleeves with narrow band cuffs.

A black grenadine sprinkled with crystal dots is very effective, made up with touches of color.

White dresses are much in evidence and white costumes trimmed with black are deemed even more stylish.

French knobs in either black or white silk beautify some of the narrow gold braids. They are done by hand, and one row through the centre is sufficient for the narrow widths.

Very fashionable stock collars are made of white satin ribbon, with tiny lines of gold braid put on at intervals, or those of black bebe velvet ribbon standing vertically, and ending on a little loop, held with a small gold or jewel button.

The Raglan shirt waist seems to be one of the new varieties. The sleeve sets in from the collar band like a man's Raglan coat, and there are small stitched pockets at each side of the bust. Both flannel and washable shirt waists are made on these lines.

Pale old-rose chiffon and a very beautiful shade of dark pansy velvet are combined on a shirred round waist, with very drooping front, and an extremely short bolero jacket, trimmed with a tiny edge of outer fur and very fine gold passementerie designs en applique.

The so-called "lingerie sleeve" continues to increase in favor, so that now even tailored gowns show the dainty undersleeve of silk or velvet. A new idea is to make the sleeve full length, but slash it half way to the elbow in narrow sections, through which the undersleeve forms puffs.

Pretty belts, suitable for wear with either a flannel or silk waist, have a foundation of black velvet; through the centre is sewn a bias band of colored satin about an inch wide, and over this are three bands of very narrow gold braid. The whole belt is scarcely two inches wide. It is pointed front and back, fastening by hook and eye at the side.

RED SEA EMERALD MINES.

Known as Cleopatra's Mines and Worked by the Romans.

What are known as the emerald mines of Cleopatra lie in the mountain range that extends for a long distance parallel to the Red Sea, and a few leagues west of its coast, in the latitude rather south of Eofu, on the Nile. This, like some other parts of the region—such as the porphyry quarries of Jebel Dokham—was far better known than it is now, and more thickly populated, about twenty centuries ago, and only during the present one, so far as we know, have isolated explorers at long intervals found their way into the treasure houses of ancient Egypt.

When its rulers first used the emerald for personal adornment is uncertain. Whether the large, clear green stones which, according to ancient authorities, ornamented the Egyptian temples were really emeralds is a matter of dispute, but as this gem—owing to its regular shape, which is commonly a six-sided prism—with its beautiful tint, stands less in need of the lapidary's art than many others, it probably formed part of the regalia of princes at a very early period.

That it was known to the Romans is certain, and the mines now revisited used to send their treasures to the gem cutters of the capital. Ever since then the stone has been highly esteemed. These mines of the Northern Ethbai seem to have remained untouched since the decline and fall of Rome caused them to be deserted. According to Mr. MacAllister, the workings are only small passages, hardly more than burrows, excavated in the emerald bearing cyst and sometimes extending for a long distance.

Many scattered ruins may also be seen—dwellings, watch towers and tombs, besides those of the fen settlements. In these, no doubt, the mining population used to live, and the difference in style suggests they were occupied for a long time. Some are mere hovels, very roughly built; others show a more careful construction, while a third group are well finished. Mr. MacAllister also found three rock-cut temples, for the soft stone lends itself to that kind of architecture. He thinks that their pillars, though very primitive in style, indicate Egyptian designs, with traces of Greek influence. One, indeed, contains a crumbling inscription in that language.

Broken pottery, sometimes ornamented, is abundant, but there is no evidence that the neighborhood attracted visitors for any but business purposes. Notwithstanding this there was in those times a settled instead of a nomal population, and travelers once must have been rather frequent, for in one place many drawings of persons, animals and tribal marks are scratched upon the rocks. Some of the figures evidently are much older than others, but as a whole they recall to memory the Sinaitic inscriptions, which some forty years ago were believed to be memories of the wanderings of the Israelites.—Geographical Journal.

The Way Things Go.

"I have noticed," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "that the more a girl thinks of a young man the longer she takes to fix her hair when he calls; and the more the young man thinks of the girl the more the girl's hair needs fixing."—Yonkers Statesman.

The fellow who lives in an attic seldom complains of too high living.

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On the Stairs.

The children with their dolls are out
At play upon the stair;
'Tis in the quiet afternoon,
So none disturb them there.

The clock upon the landing ticks;
The house seems very still,
And now and then the shrill wind sighs
Between the door and sill.

The children do not heed the clock,
Nor heed the wind that moans,
But quite intent upon their play,
They talk in lowered tones.
—Katharine Pyle, in Harper's Bazar.

How Hairpins Are Made.

For ages the French and English controlled the manufacture of hairpins, and it is only within the last 20 years that the goods have been produced in other countries to any extent. The machinery used is of a delicate and intricate character, as the prices at which the pins are sold necessitates the cheapest and most rapid process, which can only be procured by automatic machines.

The wire is made expressly for the purpose and put up in large coils, which are placed in a clamp, and so carried to the machine while being straightened. This machine cuts, bends, and, by a delicate and instantaneous process, sharpens the points. Running at full speed, it will turn out 120 hairpins every minute. To economize it is necessary to keep the engines going day and night.

The difficult part of the work is in the enamelling, which is done by dipping the pins in a preparation and baking in an oven. It is here that the most constant and careful attention is required, as the pins must be absolutely smooth and the enamel have a perfect polish. The slightest particle of dust causes imperfections and roughness.

Rocking Grown People to Sleep.

There are few boys or girls who know what an unpleasant thing it is to lie awake all night. Young people manage to get plenty of exercise during the day and go off into the dustman's kingdom readily enough when the pillow is reached—except, perhaps, on Christmas eve or the night of July 3. Grownups are not always so fortunate. Many of them are lax in the matter of exercise, while others have affairs which fairly run away with their peace and health. The grim monster insomnia often seizes them, sets their brains running at high tension and keeps them awake till morning. It is a terrible state for a grownup to get into and learned doctors have ransacked the earth, the seas and a large book called the pharmacopoeia to find charms that will banish the monster. They have finally hit upon a very simple device—one that is found in every home ruled by a baby. The patient is provided with a bed that is fixed upon an axle at its centre and by means of a simple mechanism the head is gently raised and lowered—rocked. It is very simple and old-fashioned—the wonder is that no one thought of it before and doctors who have tested it in hospitals say that few nervous growups fail to drop asleep at once under its soothing motion.—Chicago Record.

Joe Trout and the Lion.

Rain was falling the night Joe Trout's train was stopped by a hot box at Dead Man's Curve, on a wild slope of the Alleghanies. Everybody said something uncheerful and then went to work. There was a brilliant gathering of men with lanterns about the afflicted axle. The engineer felt the box, pronounced it a bad case of typhoid fever, and applied remedies learned in 20 years of railroading. Pete Harlow, the flagman, wet to the skin and groaning with rheumatism, walked painfully back around the curve and put signal torpedoes on the track to keep off approaching trains. As he rose from the rail he saw a shaggy object with glowing eyes and a powerful up and down motion, coming toward him.

There was no hint of rheumatism in the way Pete returned to the train and told the boys there was "some strange animal down there." They laughed at him, but his eyes were big with truth or something else, and they finally turned out to investigate. The rear brakeman was allowed to lead, because of his record in the Spanish war and his reputation of being afraid of nothing. When the little force had marched in column half way to the torpedoes, the brakeman gasped, turned on the instant, and went for the engine at a San Juan gallop.

"There she is! Run for your lives!" he yelled as he flew past Trout.

The conductor felt his skin grow white and his heart turn to water, as he lifted his torch. Facing him was a big African lion. It was no use to reflect that such things are not to be found in the Alleghanies. There it certainly was, growling and coming closer, its powerful shoulder blades bobbing up and down as it walked. Everybody ran except Joe.

"Yah!" he yelled in stupefied surprise.

The beast stopped, turned a creditable somersault, rolled over on his back and growled in a friendly way. It seemed to regard the "yah" as a courtesy on Trout's part, and to be trying to make some acknowledgment of it. Joe noticed this.

"It's a lion, sure," he thought as his breath came back, "but he don't seem dangerous." Then he yelled: "Gimme a rope; I'll tie him up."

The engineer went to the engine and got the tank rope, and Trout, with many "yahs" and "whoa theres" and "so boys," made the lion a necktie. Then he led and coaxed him zig-zag to the engine and tied him to the cowcatcher. For five minutes he received handshakes and back-slaps and "Good-for-you-old-mans" from the crew, and then telegraphed to the train dispatcher:

"Caught a lion at Dead Man's Curve. Tied him to the cowcatcher. Will hurt him if we move. What shall we do?"

The train dispatcher was mad because the train had been stopped so long, and wired back:

"Cut the rope. We're not in the show business."

Next morning the manager of a traveling menagerie learned with much regret that his pet trick lion was missing. The showmen all went to look for it and found it under a tree near Dead Man's Curve, fast asleep, with a rope around its neck.—Little Chronicle.

Madame Wu.

The present minister from China is the most popular representative the Flowery Kingdom has had in Washington.

Mme. Wu, too, although she has not had the opportunities to become as publicly known as is his Celestial excellency, soon made a place for herself in Washington diplomatic circles. She has, at her husband's command of English. But she had no sooner reached Washington, in 1897, than she began to study English, so that now she is well able to carry on "polite conversation."

Mme. Wu is of ancient lineage, her pedigree, in distinction, extending farther back than that of the royal family itself. Naturally, she has remained faithful to the Oriental dress, and her costumes are the wonder and admiration of her American sisters.

On state occasions she wears a brilliant petticoat of red or blue, just short enough to show her little feet, heavily embroidered with gold. Over this is worn a tunic of black and purple, also richly wrought with bullion. On her breast is a large gold eagle, which signifies that her rank is equal to that of her husband, and she may at all functions enter and leave the room at his side instead of behind him, as would be required if she were of lesser rank. Her head-dress is a narrow band of black satin, ornamented with a splendid jewel—a large pearl usually—worth quite a king's ransom, worn directly in front. This band is decorated with flowers which fall just behind the ears and add much to its picturesqueness. Her jewels are beautiful. The custom of wearing flowers in the hair is nearly universal in China, fresh blossoms being preferred when attainable, and artificial ones at other times.

The beads around Mme Wu's neck are also a sign of official distinction, worn by men as well as by women. Curiously enough they vary with the season, those of sandal wood being distinctly summer beads, while coral, jade and other stones are reserved for winter decoration.

Except for state occasions, Mme. Wu's usual costume is a simpler reception gown of brocade and silk. Her home gowns are all made after this general pattern, and are simple in texture and trimming. Silk, cotton and grass cloth are the fabrics most used for summer, with the addition of brocades, furs and skins in winter. Woolen is very little used, and so far as underwear is concerned one may remark that with both men and women there is a great paucity of linen.

Mme. Wu has the little feet which characterize women of high caste in Southern China.

When Mr. Wu was asked: "If you had a daughter, would you bind her feet?" he replied:

"Madame, I have no daughter."

"And if you had?"

After considerable hesitation: "I hardly think I should. However," continued he, "you claim to be such a very progressive people, yet see how your women compress their waists. Why do you not set us an example? When you cease to compress your waists, we will no longer bind our feet. You claim, too, to be free, but what slaves the best of you are to fashion! Our charges in style are slight, and occur at such rare intervals as to give even our women no trouble."—Brooklyn Eagle.

Works Both Ways.

First Poor Man (born poor)—It takes money to make money.

Second Poor Man (born rich)—Yes, and it takes money to lose money.

You run the risk of being disgusted if you pry into the processes of cookery, government or justice.

SAVED.

When I was sick the queerest things
I sometimes saw at night!
And onct there was a cat with wings
Kept comin' round to fight!
And onct a great big burglar thief
Was crawling on the floor—
And onct a monstrous Injun chief
Was standin' in the door!
And onct I tumbled down a well
(I did n't seem asleep),
And miles and miles and miles I fell,
For it was awful deep!
I felt so funny, for I thought
I'd surely strike my head,
But at the bottom I was caught
All safe awake in bed!
—Edwin L. Sabin in Puck.

HUMOROUS.

Blobbs—The life of a detective should be full of variety. Slobbs—Yes, they are the spies of life.

He—You are the only girl I ever loved. She—Then, all I can say is you've missed a lot of fun.

"My father died with his boots on!" cried the Arizona girl, triumphantly. "Too lazy to take them off, eh?" said the caustic man.

When a fellow proposes the up-to-date girl no longer says: "This is so sudden." She thinks: "Well, he was a long time about it."

She—Cruel to his boy, is he? He—Yes; he seems to think it's proper to pick up his son and heir as he would a popular air—by ear.

Sillicus—The average woman is a dismal failure when she tries to crack a joke. Cynicus—And yet she can break a man without an effort.

Tommy—Pop, can people swear with their eyes. Tommy's Pop—Not that I know of, my son. Tommy—Then what is a cursory glance?

Mamma (plying the strap)—There, there, and there! Now, don't let me catch you in the pantry again. Tommy—Boo! hoo! I tried not to let you catch me this time.

"You're giving me an awful long wait today," remarked the impatient customer. "Well, lady," returned the busy grocer, "didn't you kick about short weight yesterday?"

They were looking through the library. "If you had the divine gift what would you rather write?" asked the romantic young woman. "Checks," replied the sordid young man.

Nell—Maude is very susceptible. Belle—What's the matter with her now? Nell—Somebody told her she was a remarkably striking girl, and she immediately went and bought a punching bag.

First Automobile—Those obsolete expressions are very amusing. Second Automobile—Yes: there's that one about putting the cart before the horse. What in the world do you suppose that means?

Mrs. Kindart—Your twins are fine boys. But they look so much alike I don't see how you can tell them apart. Mrs. Cassidy—Faith, thot's aisy enough. Wan o' thim is called Pat, an' th' other wan Mike. There's the difference, d'ye mind?

Plants Growing Under the Microscope.

This is something that we read of in most books on the microscope, and although it is not by any means true plant growth, it is very curious and beautiful. Procure a little collomia seed, which may be had from seedmen. Take one of the seeds and with a razor or a very sharp knife cut off a very thin slice. Lay this slice on a slip of glass (an ordinary slide), cover it with a thin glass cover, and, the microscope being in a vertical position, lay it on the stage. If you wish to incline the microscope you must use a square glass cover and not a round one, and hold the cover to its place by means of a very fine rubber ring. Now, bring the thin slice of seed into focus and then apply a drop of water to the edge of the glass. The water will penetrate between the glasses and moisten the seed, which will at once throw out a very large number of spiral fibres, giving it the appearance of veritable germination. Beginners will find it easier to perform this experiment if one will apply the water while the other looks through the instrument. A single drop is enough.

Stealing His Thunder.

The indignant looking passenger was about to speak, but the conductor headed him off by exclaiming in a loud tone of irritation:

"This is the slowest train I was ever on. What's the use of having a schedule if we don't pay any attention to it? The drinking water tastes as if it hadn't been off the kitchen range 10 minutes. The car doesn't look as if it had been swept for a month, and it is full of idiots who insist on opening the windows when we go through tunnels, so that the cinders can blow in."

The passenger caught his breath and then exclaimed: "I was just about to say that this whole affair is an outrage."

"I know it. But you're lucky. You can travel a few miles and then get off and be happy. But I've got to stay on this train for hours every day of my life."—Washington Star.

In golf a man is never too old to learn.

IN A TRASH PILE.

Old King George Coin Found in Knoxville, Tenn.

Walter Cheatham, an employe of the city stables, has had the good fortune to find a very old coin of the realm of Great Britain in a trash pile, says the Knoxville Journal and Tribune. The coin is of the same size as an American dollar and weighs just the same. Walter did not realize that the coin might have a big price offered for it, and while showing it to Stable Boss William Kellar, asked that official what he would give for the coin. Mr. Kellar does not know the value of old coins, and offered ten cents. Mr. Cheatham declined and Mr. Kellar proffered twenty-five cents and the bargain was struck. Mr. Kellar decided he would keep the coin as a rare novel keepsake, but now he would probably refuse an offer of $500 for it, pending a thorough investigation of its value to numismatic collectors. On yesterday Mr. Cheatham returned to Mr. Kellar and tried to buy back the coin for a quarter of a dollar. Mr. Kellar refused, but jokingly said he would take $5 for it. Cheatham was about to take him at his word, when Mr. Kellar said he intended to keep the coin. Its owner was then informed that according to a coin collector's manual, King George's dollar was quoted as being worth $1,500. The coin is much worn and the date is effaced, but King George's profile is stamped on the face of the coin, while on the back his majesty is pictured astride a horse in the act of slaying a dragon. "George III., G. B.," are some of the letters easily deciphered around the margin of the coin. The edge is worn smooth.

A GERMAN CRIMINAL CATCHER

Herr Eugen Fass has hit upon an elaborate method of alarming inhabitants of a town whenever any great crime has been committed, in order to prevent the escape of the criminal, writes a Berlin correspondent. His idea is to erect in all the most public parts of the town booths containing a table, writing materials, telephone and electric bells, and in front a large board for the display of notices. As soon as a crime is committed a bell is set ringing, which calls the nearest policeman, who is informed telephonically of the details, and these he promptly writes down and places them on the display board, so that he who runs may read. Thus, within a few minutes of the perpetration of a crime, a public hue and cry is raised, which it is hoped may end speedily in the capture of the criminal.

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THE ITEM,

NEW OXFORD, PA.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 12, 1901.

A Baltimore woman paid $26.45 as a fine and costs for dressing in a man's clothing to attend a prize fight Monday night.

Cigarette sellers have received a blow between the eyes at Harrisburg when the house, by a vote of 132 to 30, passed finally the bill putting an annual tax on cigarette paper and supplies.

James Wilson, who died recently at Sleepy Creek, Md., was generally considered a poor man. A few days ago his widow found $8,000 in gold and silver in an old wooden chest in the room where her husband slept and died.

John Gulick, who on the 2d murdered his mother and brother at their home near Sunbury, was lodged in jail Sunday. He was discovered in the spring house on the Gulick farm, and said he was tired and had come back home intending to give himself up. He said that he witnessed the funeral of his mother and brother from nearby hill.

Joseph Montague, aged 60 years, a resident of Waynesboro, had both legs cut off at Brunswick, Md., last Saturday night while attempting to board train 14 after it had started to move from the station. He was a passenger on the train enroute to New York and, having relatives at Brunswick, got off to see if any of them were around the station, and in attempting to get on the train after it had started he fell under it. His injuries were of such a serious character that he died from the effects of them at 2:40 o'clock Sunday morning.

While Geo. and Jennie Hoover of Shamokin, were playing in front of their house about nine weeks ago they were both bitten by a dog suffering with the rabies. Early on Friday morning the boy began frothing at the mouth and imitating the barking of a dog and tried to bite the inmates of the house. Help was summoned and it took four men to overpower and strap the ten-year-old boy to a sofa. The physician said he was in the throes of hydrophobia and could not recover.

Hon. Edwin Albright, judge of the courts of Lehigh county, recently rendered a decision which has an important bearing upon the official conduct of Aldermen and Justices of the Peace. It is the custom of magistrates, whenever they receive bills to collect, to send notice to the debtor to pay within a special time. If payment is not made then, the Alderman or Justice of the Peace brings suit in behalf of the creditors, issues a summons and generally gives judgment in favor of the plaintiff. This procedure Judge Albright, decided was all wrong. He says that a magistrate cannot legally act as agent for the creditor, which he becomes when he sends out his notice, and later sit in judgment on the same case. The decision in short means that an Alderman or Jurtice of the Peace can collect a debt by summons in a suit before another Alderman or Justice, but he himself cannot bring the suit before himself. This affects the course or rule of many Alderman and Justices of the Peace.

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Frank L. Miller, aged 31 years, residing about three miles north-west of Middletown, Frederick county, Md., son of John D. Miller, of Middletown, was found dead Monday morning, lying face down, in a small stream containing water an inch deep. He was subject to spasms and while working at a trough was seized with a fit and fell, rolling into the water on his face. His two little children on the way to school made the discovery and gave the alarm. When assistance arrived he was already dead. He leaves a wife and four children.

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Estate of David Bievenour, late of Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, residing in same township, notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted thereto to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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Estate of Caroline Bievenour, late of Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa., dec'd.

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BANDS FOR PAN-AMERICAN.

Their Music Will Be a Great Feature of the Exposition at Buffalo.

Arrangements have already been made for the appearance at the Pan-American Exposition of some of the most famous bands of the American Continent. Throughout the season, from May 1 to Nov. 1, concerts will be given daily in various parts of the Exposition grounds by these bands, and the variety of musical entertainment thus afforded will be a notable feature of the Exposition. Prominent among the organizations engaged is Sousa's Band, which is known wherever there are lovers of music and whose success in the rendition of military music has been remarkable.

The most notable achievement in the history of international events was perhaps the triumphal tour made by Sousa and his band through Europe, extending from April to September, 1900. It was 22 years since an American band had been heard on the European Continent, and so emphatic was the success of the American conductor and composer that the tour became a series of ovations throughout France, Germany, Belgium and Holland. It was the official band at the Paris Exposition.

The Mexican Government Mounted Band has been engaged to give concerts during the Exposition.

Fanciulli's Seventy-first Regiment Band of New York has been engaged for a series of concerts during the season. This band has also a great reputation for its rendition of military music, and it followed Sousa's Band in the concerts at Manhattan Beach.

Canada will be represented by several bands, among them the famous Thirteenth Regiment Band of Hamilton, which is the crack band music organization of lower Canada.

The Elgin Band of Elgin, Ills., which stands very high in that state, has also been engaged.

Another well known band is the Carlisle Indian Band, which made a great hit in Washington and New York City.

When the Ancient and Honorable Artillery of Boston made their recent notable tour in Europe, they were accompanied by the Salem (Mass.) Cadet Band, which contributed much to the success of the tour. This band will also be heard at the Pan-American Exposition.

The Brooks Chicago Marine Band, E. B. Brooks conductor, which is considered by many the best in Chicago, will be heard.

Another band engaged is the Ithaca Band of Ithaca, N. Y., which is backed

FIGURE OF HOSPITALITY FOR TRIUMPHAL BRIDGE.

by E. N. Truman, one of the wealthy men of that section. It has achieved a great reputation in the central part of New York State.

The Boston Ladies' Military Band, which has been before the public for two or three years and made a pronounced success, has been engaged. It is spoken of highly by musical people in Boston.

Besides these bands from other portions of the United States, the best bands of Buffalo have been engaged for the Exposition, including the well known Seventy-fourth Regiment Band and the Sixty-fifth Regiment Band, which saw service at Camp Alger during the Spanish-American war.

Another band of Buffalo is Scinta's Band, a strong organization.

These local bands have been strengthened to the number of 33 men each, and the leaders claim to have put them in a very fine condition, so that Buffalo need not be ashamed of the performances they will give during the progress of the great Exposition.

This is not a complete list of the bands which will be heard at the Pan-American, but simply shows the character of the entertainment to be provided.

Minerals at the Pan-American.

Minerals will be fully represented, comprising every production, both useful and ornamental, mined from the earth. All parts of the United States and every country of South and Central America, Canada, Mexico and the islands of the sea will contribute specimens for the exhibit. All kinds of machinery used in manipulating ores will be exhibited. The great advantages that the Americas have over the rest of the world in the wealth of their minerals in connection with climatic conditions, accessibility, etc., will be clearly illustrated. While the exhibits will be under the auspices of the various Governments, many individuals and mining companies will be represented by individual displays, representing their special interests.

Mexican Appointment.

The Mexican ministry of fomento (encouragement) has appointed as Mexican representative of the Pan-American Exposition Engineer Albino R. Nuncio, who was until his appointment chief of the second section in the aforesaid ministry.

RAINBOW CITY.

Pan-American Exposition Aglow With Beautiful Colors.

Perhaps nothing has been more talked about than the color scheme of the Pan-American. It was a daring thing to attempt to array in colors the extensive buildings of this Exposition, for scarcely any precedent existed for such an undertaking, and to attempt it and fail would be disastrous indeed. It was out of the question to duplicate the White City at Chicago. Something absolutely new must be devised for the Pan-American at Buffalo. Happily the Spanish renaissance architecture furnished the hint for the solution of this problem, and now that it has been solved and the color scheme is seen to be so well adapted to the purposes of exposition architecture it is realized

FIGURE OF HEROIC MUSIC.

that a new discovery has been made. With the buildings arrayed in colors which will harmonize with the general scheme of the Exposition and please rather than offend artistic taste, the Rainbow City cannot fail to become popular in a degree scarcely hoped for by those who planned its construction.

The Director of Color, Mr. Charles Y. Turner, N. A., of New York City, studied the requirements of the situation and in his studio in New York by means of models carefully worked out the designs and drawings for the mural decoration. The experts experimented with paint and obtained an article that may be used without fear that it will lose its staying qualities before the Exposition is over. The test already made shows that the paint after being once applied to the staff is going to hold its color well.

RARE COMBINATION.

The Floral and Electrical Display at the Pan-American Exposition.

There is a saying that "Flowers are the poetry of earth, as stars are the poetry of heaven." If this be true, the beauty of the floral effects to be seen at the Pan-American Exposition will be pronounced as a rare combination of both, for never yet at an exposition have such magnificent effects been seen as will be visible in some of the fountain basins at the Pan-American. There beautiful plants and flowers, kissed to a state of dewy dazzlement by the falling spray and the glow of concealed incandescent lamps, will delight the visitor.

At the exposition in Omaha some little success was obtained in thus lighting up the flowers and the foliage of plants in the water basins, and this has led Henry E. Rustin, chief of the mechanical and electrical bureau, to attempt to enlarge upon what he accomplished in Omaha. When thus lighted, the flowers and plants take upon themselves new colors, each one seemingly more beautiful than the color displayed under full sunlight. Then the little mystery of where the illumination comes from is delightful, and, knowing this, the skilled electrician is most careful to conceal his lamps where least likely to attract the eye. Perhaps an artificial leaf, an artificial flower, is used to hide the lamp, but its full brilliancy is allowed to beam upon the plant and flowers, making a picture that is lasting. It is when such effects are obtained that the full appreciation of enjoyment is expressed in the single word "beautiful." It was so at Omaha, and it will be more so at the Pan-American.

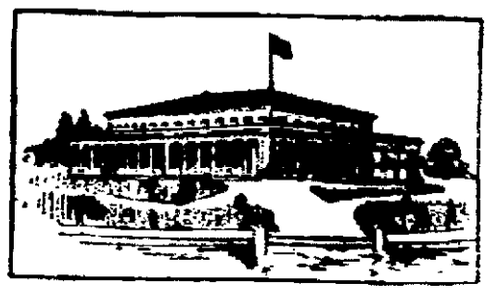
Automobiles at Exposition.

The automobile has been developed since the Columbian Exposition at Chicago. What marvels may be exhibited and in practical daily use at the Pan-American Exposition can only be dimly conjectured. The railway, vessel and vehicle exhibits at Buffalo this year will outrival in interest anything that has been possible in the past.

In 1881 the largest arc light machine made supplied current for 16 lights, and when Mr. Brush made a 50 light machine it was a giant. In the electrical exhibits of the Pan-American Exposition the largest type of Brush arc light machine will be shown, and this will afford interesting comparison with the machines of 20 years ago.

The Ohio Building.

The Ohio State building has a prominent place at the Pan-American Exposition to be held in Buffalo next summer. The design is plain Grecian



OHIO STATE BUILDING.

Doric, the beauty of which lies mainly in its classic proportions and commanding position. It is designed exclusively for social purposes and will be the rendezvous of Ohio visitors to the Exposition.

A TESTIMONIAL FROM OLD ENGLAND.—"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the best in the world for bronchitis," says Mr William Savory, of Warrington, England. "It has saved my wife's life, she having been a martyr to bronchitis for over six years, being most of the time confined to her bed. She is now quite well." Sold by all druggists.

In the Senate at Harrisburg bills have passed directing town councils of borough to fix by ordinance the number, rank, compensation and regulation of police, and authorizing Burgesses to appoint and control the police and to appoint all subordinate officers of the borough, except treasurer, secretary and engineer.

CAUGHT A DREADFUL COLD.—Marion Cooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by all druggists.

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You will waste time if you try to cure indigestion or dyspepsia by starving yourself. That only makes it worse when you do eat heartily. You always need plenty of good food properly digested. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the result of years of scientific research for something that would digest not only some elements of food but every kind. And it is the one remedy that will do it. Randolph Wehler.

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Canned Corn—6, 7, 8, 9 and 10c.	Peas 5c can.
2 cakes Scouring Soap 5c.	2 cakes Sudsena 5c.
Toilet Soap 1c and upward.	2 cakes Soap Duet 5c.
2 cakes Laundry Soap 5c.	Baking Powder 3c can up.

Za-Za Toilet Soap 3 cakes for 5c.

The above is only a few of the bargains we are offering the trade.—Visit our store and be convinced that we sell the best goods at lowest prices.

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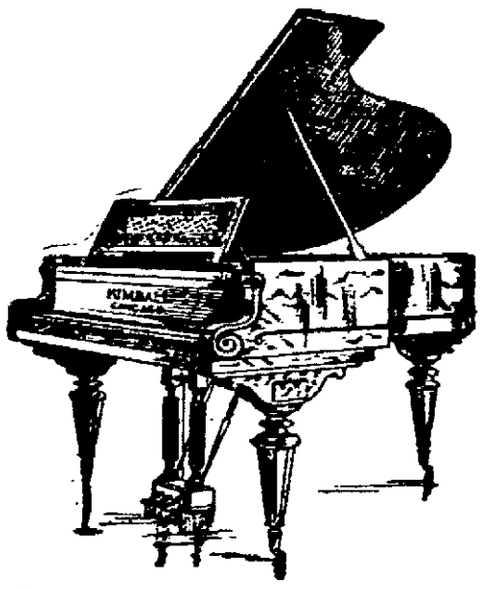

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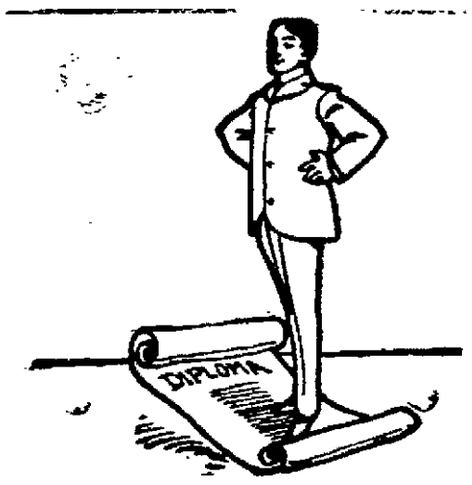

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Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm name of G. W. SMITH & Co., in the Borough of New Oxford, Adams county, Pa., has been mutually dissolved this 15th day of January, 1901. All persons knowing themselves indebted thereto will please make settlement, and those having claims to present them for payment.

EMMA M. SMITH
G. W. SMITH.

The business will be continued in all its branches, as heretofore, by the undersigned.

G. W. SMITH.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Rosa J. Harner, late of McSherrystown Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

The undersigned Executor of the last will and testament of Rosa J. Harner, late of McSherrystown Borough, Adams County, Pa., dec'd, hereby gives notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

C. D. SMITH, Executor.

C. E. Ehrehart, Atty. McSherrystown, Pa.

Record Your Deeds.

By examination of the late Act of the Legislature, approved May 19th, A. D. 1893, it will be seen that all Deeds and Conveyances made and executed after the passage of this Act, shall be recorded in the Office for the Recording of Deeds, &c., within ninety days, or else be adjudged fraudulent and void as to any subsequent purchaser.

All persons holding unrecorded Deeds will see the importance of having them recorded, without further delay.

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Although it is only about a dozen years since the nomination of Benjamin Harrison for President in the campaign in which he was elected, seven out of the ten men who figured with most prominence at the outset in the voting are now dead. These are Sherman, Gresham, Harrison, Blaine, Ingalls, Rusk, and William Walter Phelps. The three who are alive are Depew, Alger, and Allison. In that year Cleveland, was renominated without opposition, but the principal aspirants for Vice President on the ticket with him were Thurman, who got the candidacy, and Gray, of Indiana. Both of these are dead. In American politics the entrances and exits on the stage of affairs come frequently.

A RAGING, ROARING FLOOD—Washed down a telegraph line which Chas C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb, Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption an could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by Randolph Wehler. Price 50c and $1.00.

The New York Evening Post has been at the pains to collect the statistics of Andrew Carnegie's gifts to various public libraries, institutes and other educational and benevolent objects since he first commenced distributing of his wealth for the benefit of his fellow men. The list is a long one, such as has never stood to the credit of any man in any country. The total of Mr. Carnegie' gifts, as far as it has been possible to ascertain them, foots up the magnificent total at $16,363,250. The smallest of these gifts is $500 and the largest $5,000,000. Mr. Carnegie himself says he is not yet done giving.

HE KEPT HIS LEG.—Twelve years ago W Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflamation and blood poisoning set in For two years he suffered intensely. When the best doctors urged amputation, but," he writes, "I used one bottle of Electric Bitters and 1½ boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and my leg was sound and well as ever." For Eruptions, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them Randolph Wehler will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50 cents.

The Boer war in South Africa is not as near over as it appeared a short time ago. The Boers are not disposed to accept the British terms of peace and may prolong the war for some time yet. Should Great Britain get into a war with Russia over the China trouble, the Boer cause would be very materially improved.

THE BEST REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM. —(Quick relief from pain.) All who use Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism are delighted with the quick relief from pain which it affords. When speaking of this Mr. D. N. Sinks, of Troy, O., says: "Some time ago I had a severe attack of rheumatism in my arm and shoulder. I tried numerous remedies but got no relief until I was recommended by Messrs. Geo. F. Parsons & Co., druggists of this place, to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. They recommended it so highly that I bought a bottle. I was soon relieved of all pain. I have since recommended this liniment to many of my friends, who agree with me that it is the best remedy for muscular rheumatism in the market." For sale by all druggists.

The afternoon east-bound flyer, on the Pennsylvania railroad broke all records on its run from Williamsport to Harrisburg Wednesday The distance was covered in one hour and fifty minutes, which includes taking water and a stop at Sunbury and slowdowns at various crossings. Some stretches of the road were covered at a speed of seventy miles an hour.

"I have been troubled with indigestion for ten years, have tried many things and spent much money to no purpose until I tried Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken two bottles and gotten more relief from them than all other medicines taken I feel more like a boy than I have felt in twenty years." Anderson Riggs of Sunny Lane, Tex. Thousands have testified as did Mr. Riggs. Randolph Wehler.

The use of oysters has often been discouraged on the ground that they were under certain conditions dangerous mediums of conveying disease, especially germs of typhoid fever Now the physicians are said to have forbidden another relish nearly as popular at this time of the year. Celery has come under the ban of the doctors, who say that it is equally well adapted to transmitting the poisonous element of the soil carrying the germs of typhoid.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsy, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cts. For sale by all druggists. 4-mo.

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A BIG DROP IN BEEF

by the Quarter, for the Fall season, at his Meat Store next to Sheely & Bro.'s dry goods store, CENTER SQUARE, NEW OXFORD.

On account of the drop in the cattle market I am able to sell beef, by the quarter and half quarter at the following prices:

Hind Quarter 8 to 9c. Front Quarter 6 to 6 1-2c.

Neck and Chuck for sausage 7 to 8c. Any one needing Sausage Meat will save money by comming to see me before buying elsewhere.

Will pay 6c per pound for Pork this week.

I am buying beef hides and paying from 6 to 8c per lb for them this week.

☞Don't forget and come to see me for Beef this fall.

E W Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Bromo-Quinine** Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

DISOLUTION NOTICE.....

Notice is hereby given that the Copartnership hertofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Diehl & Sponseller, in the Borough of New Oxford, Pa., has been dissolved by mutual consent.

CURTIS SPONSELLER,
CURTIS E. DIEHL.

Persons having claims against the above are requested to present them for payment, and those knowing themselves indebted to same will please make settlement on or before the 1st day of April, 1901.

The business will be continued as heretofore by the undersigned.

CURTIS E. DIEHL.

HOTEL Gettysburg,

MERVILLE E. ZINN, Propr,
CENTER SQUARE, - GETTYSBURG.

Having leased the above Hotel I would be pleased to have my friends call to see me when in Gettysburg.

NOTICE for Amendment of Charter

In the Court of Common Please of the County of Adams, Pennsylvania.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made by The First Evangelical Lutheran Church of New Oxford, to the Court of Common Pleas, of the County aforesaid, on the 27th day of April 1901, under the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and its supplements, for the approval and allowance of certain amendments to the charter of said corporat on as set forth in the petition therefor filed in said Court.

WM. & WM. ARCH MCCLEAN,
4-5 3t. Solicitors.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Mrs. Lydia Menges, late of Oxford township, Adams County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of Administration on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them properly authenticated or payment, and those indebted thereto will please make immediate settlement

PETER MENGES,
DANIEL MENGES, Administrators,

Mr. LEWIS RAMER is at the Old Stand, the

Globe Hotel,

CETTYSBURG, PA.,

Ready to Receive all Old Patrons, and new ones that come this way.

Cancer Specialist.

More cures effected out of number treated, and with less pain, than any other doctor treating this disease.

DR. H. W. SWARTZ, New Oxford.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF AMELIA SMITH.—The undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of Miss Amelia Smith, late of Conewago township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN KERRIGAN,
3-1-6t Executor.

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BALTIMORE & HARRISBURG DIVISION

Schedule in effect Sept. 30, 1900.

READ DOWNWARD. P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	STATIONS.	READ UPWARD. P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
	5 54		Le Williamsp't Ar			8 21
2 07	7 02		Hagerstown	12 05		8 00
2 38	7 32		Ar Edg'mont Le	11 40		7 34
	6 09		Le Ship'nsb'g Ar	1 00		8 55
1 45	6 28		Chambersburg	12 34		8 28
2 18	7 01		Waynesboro	11 57		7 51
2 26	7 25		Ar Edg'mont Le	11 40		7 35
2 41	7 35		Le Edg'mont Ar	11 37		7 34
2 53	7 45		Ar Highfield Le	11 21		7 19
2 56	7 50		Le Highfield Ar	11 29		7 16
3 24	8 16		Fairfield	10 52		6 48
3 33	8 24		Orrtanna	10 42		6 37
3 38	8 28		McKnightstown	10 38		6 32
3 42	8 32		Seven Stars	10 38	P. M	6 29
3 25	8 42		Gettysburg	10 25	1 19	5 29
4 15	9 04		New Oxford	10 04	12 57	5 55
4 18	9 07	A. M	Berlin Junction	10 01	12 54	5 52
4 31	9 20	6 00	Hanover	9 49	12 43	5 39
4 45	9 35	6 16	Porters	9 34	12 30	5 27
4 51	9 49	6 25	Sinsheim	9 23	12 20	5 20
5 01	9 51	6 27	Green Ridge	9 18	12 13	5 13
5 03	9 58	6 29	Glenville	9 16	12 11	5 11
5 12	10 05	6 39	Lineboro	9 07	12 02	5 00
5 20	10 14	6 48	Alesia	9 00	11 54	4 53
5 31	10 17	7 00	Green Mount	8 49	11 43	4 42
5 35	10 23	7 05	Hampstead	8 45	11 39	4 37
5 42	10 32	7 13	Arcadia	8 38	11 32	4 30
5 54	10 32	7 25	Woodensburg	8 27	11 21	4 19
5 58	10 35	7 30	Ar Em'ry Gro Le	8 23	11 17	4 15
6 00	10 37	7 37	Le Em'ry Gro Ar	8 21	11 15	4 15
6 57	11 20	8 38	Ar Baltimor Le	7 22	10 12	3 32
P. M.	A. M.	A. M.		A. M.	A. M.	P. M

Mixed Train leave Highfield daily except Sunday 11.40 a. m., stopping at intermediate points, arriving Hanover 4.05 p. m.

BERLIN BRANCH.—DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. Leave Hanover for Berlin Junction at 6.08 and 9 52 a. m. and 12.45 and 5.42 p. m. Leave Berlin Junction for Abbottstown and East Berlin at 6.45 and 10 01 a. m., 12.55 and 5.52 p. m.

Leave East Berlin for Berlin Junction at 6.00, 8.35 a. m. and 11.30 a. m., and 3.45 p. m. Leave Berlin Junction for Hanover at 9.07 a. m. and 12.04 and 4.18 p. m.

HANOVER JUNCTION BRANCH.—Leave New Oxford for Hanover Junction and intermediate stations at 12.00 m. daily except Sunday, and leave Hanover Junction for Hanove and intermediate stations at 1.30 p. m. daily except Sunday

EASTERN EXTENSION B. & H. DIVISION —Leave Porters for York and intermediate stations at 7 30 and 9 38 a. m., and 12 34 and 5 27 p. m. Leave York for Porters and intermediate stations at 9 00 and 12 00 a.m., and 4 10 and 6 30 p.m.

ON SUNDAYS ONLY.—Leave Hanover for Baltimore and intermediate stations at 6 30 a.m Leave Baltimore for Hanover and intermediate stations at 9 35 a.m.

POTOMAC VALLEY RAIL ROAD.—Leave Hagerstown for Charlton, Clear Spring, Big Pool and Cherry Run at 8 10 a. m., and 12 08 and 8 05 p. m. Leave Cherry Run for Hagerstown and intermediate stations at 5 20 and 9 40 a. m., and 5 45 p.m.

CONNECTIONS AT CHERRY RUN, W. VA B. and O. passenger trains leave Cherry Run for Cumberland and intermediate points, daily, at 8.51 a. m. Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago Express, daily, at 12.50 p. m. Chicago Express, daily, at 10.39 p. m.

J. M. HOOD, General Manager. E. H. GRISWOLD, Gen'l Passenger Agt
S M. MANIFOLD, Supt, B. & H. Div. JOSEPH LEIB, Div. Passenger Agt

PUBLIC SALE!

40 HEAD OF

W. Va. Horses,

AT ABBOTTSTOWN.

Tuesday, April 23rd, 1901.

The undersigned will sell at public sale at his stables in Abbottstown, 40 head of fine West Virginia Horses.—speedy drivers, saddlers and generl purpose horses. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p m. Terms by

F. K. HAFER.

REGISTER'S NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Legatees and other persons concerned that the Administration Accounts hereinafter mentioned will be presented at the Orphans' Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance on SATURDAY, the 20th day of APRIL, 1901, at 10 o'clock, a. m., viz.:

88. The first and final account of Daniel F. Stitzel, Administrator of the estate of Jacob H. Kinter, late of Latimore township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

89. First and final account of Philip Stermer, Administrator of the estate of Catharine Wickey, late of Conowago township, Adams county, Penna., deceased.

90. The first and final account of Hanna Minter and Wm. F. Minter, Executors of the estate of John Minter, late of Butler township, Adams county, Pa. deceased.

91. The first account of Henry J. Trostle and Geo H. Trostle, Executors of the last will and testament of Abraham Trostle, late of the Borough of York Springs, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

92. The first and final account of Amos C Jacobs and Samuel C. Jacobs, Executors of Solomon Jacobs, late of Reading township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

93. The first and final account of A. E. Wierman, Administrator of Alfred A. Wierman, late of Butler township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

94. The first and final account of J. L. Butt, Administrator d. b. n. c. t a. of Jacob Weikert, late of Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

95. First and final account of Frank Hemler, Executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth Hemler, late of the Borough of McSherrystown, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

96. First and final account of Charles H. Wilson, Administrator of Sarah M. Wilson, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, deceased.

98. The first and final account of Mahala E. Delap, now Trimmer, Executrix of the estate of Daniel Delap, late of Tyrone township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

Mar. 26, 1901, 1d. H. G. WEHLER, Register.

BOROUGH ACCOUNT

For year ending March 4, 1901

J. E. C. Miller, Treasurer, in account with the Borough of New Oxford, Pa

DEBTOR.—BOROUGH.

Balance from last audit	$ 135 78
Rec'd from Taxes, 1900	549 72
" Taxes, 1899	32 03
" Insurance	85
" Borough Licences	3 00
" Hotel Licenses	228 00
" Fines	5 00
" Pavement, (J. O. S.)	65 00
	$1020 38

DEBTOR.—WATER.

Balance from last audit	$ 419 81
Rec'd from Water Rent	611 06
" Taps	66 00
" Taxes, 1899	32 03
" Taxes, 1900	549 71
	$1678 61

CR.—BOROUGH.

Paid for Auditing	$ 3 00
Illuminating Oil, &c	135 06
Spalls, &c	4 50
Painting and Carpentering	13 13
Serving notices	4 00
Lamplighting	118 11
Labor	82 83
Printing and publishing	9 50
Final payment on hose	200 00
Sec'y salary	25 00
Treas. fees '99-'00	9 05
Blacksmithing	3 13
Attys. fees, '99 and '00	40 00
Repairing stoves, clock, etc	9 35
Lumber and coal	46 67
Hardware, &c	24 66
Surveying	4 00
Lamps	29 14
Freight	10 45
Brick	43 75
Masonry	13 60
Sand	30 80
Printing, publishing and transcribing ordinances	30 00
Crossing plates, etc	13 88
Crossing stone	38 10
Recording charter	5 00
Postage, fares, &c	5 00
Winding clock	12 00
Police Salary	15 00
Janitor's Salary, engine house	30 00
Balance in treasury	11 67
	$1020 38

CR.—WATER.

Paid for pumping and incidental expenses	$ 110 74
Treas. salary, '00	8 34
Interest on Bonds	564 00
Sec'y, collecting, etc	25 00
Battery and Gauge	6 14
Oil, etc	65 57
Tapping, etc	107 15
Labor	9 85
Printing, Publishing, Stationery, &c	9 00
State tax on Bonds	56 40
Bal. in Treasury	716 42
	$1678 61

RECAPITULATION.

Received from all sources	$2698 99
Expenses for all purposes	1970 90
Bal. in Treasury	728 09
Outstanding Taxes	20 20

Deposited of Water Acct. at 3 per ct. $400 00

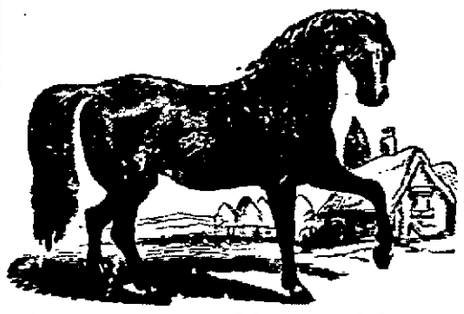
WE, the undersigned, Auditors of the Borough of New Oxford, Pa., having been duly sworn according to law, report that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer of said Borough of New Oxford for the year ending March 4, 1901, and we find the above accounts correct, with the outstanding taxes $20 20 —$10 57 borough taxes and $9 63 water taxes.

E. E. DITENHAFER, W. A. DITZLER, WM. J. WOLF, } Auditors.

New Oxford, March 4, 1901.

Horses & Mules

AT LITTLESTWN.



WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20TH,

I will receive at my stables in Littlestown, Pa., 20 head of Extra Fine Horses and Mares, a number of them are good single line driver.

Also 20 head of fine broken Mules, weighing from 1,000 to 1,400 lbs. Any person wishing to buy or exchange will miss a great opportunity by failing to look over this stock.

H. A. SPALDING,
Littlestown, Pa.

Subscribe for the ITEM. Only $1

OHIO & KENTUCKY

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Monday, April 8th,

I will receive a car load of Ohio and Kentucky Horses, Workers and drivers, also a few fine Saddlers.

I have also a fine lot of Broken Mules on hand.

Call and see my stock before buying elsewhere.

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Shabby and ill-fitting Clothing denote the man who is careless of his personal appearance.

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That we can do this, the values we mention will prove.

See and Consider

Men's Suits, - - $2.00 to $18.00
Youths' Suits, - - $2.00 to $15 00
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M. G. Colestock,

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MEATS.

—SUCH AS—

Beef, Veal,
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Lamb, &c.

Smoked Meats,

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Picnic Hams, Prepared Hams,
Breakfast Bacon, Country Flitch,
Bologna, Dried Beef, &c.

The above mentioned Meats are of First-class quality, and can be had at all times at the lowest possible prices.

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Digests what you eat.

It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion.

Price 50c. and $1. Large size contains 2½ times small size. Book all about dyspepsia mailed free Prepared by E. C. DeWITT & CO., Chicago

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FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 12, 1901.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

Jesse Forry, near Hanover, fed 63 steers during the past winter.

When you sell an article by weight, remember that other people have scales.

H. S. Cashman, of Be dersville, lost a valuable horse by death last week.

C. W. VanDyke has been appointed post-master at Goldenville, this county.

Col. Henry Hall, of Pittsburg, will deliver the Memorial Day address at Get tysburg.

The man who never smiles is no more to be trusted than the dog who never wags his tail.

About 50 members of the Hanover Fire Department attended the entertainment in Miller's Hall on Tuesday evening.

James Miller, of Hanover, has sold his property in Berwick Township, to John R. Bittinger and Prof. Eberly, on private terms.

Those famous little pills, DeWitt's Little Early Risers will remove all impurities from your system, cleanse your bowels, make them regular. Randolph Wehler.

The East Berlin Town Council has passed an ordinance taxing all telegraph and telephone polls, to be erected hereafter 50 cents annually.

H. G. Baugher has leased for a 5-year term the Locust Grove Tannery near Aspers, from his father, Gideon Baugher, the latter retiring after many years of active service.

Second Lieutenant Rudolph E. Smyser of the Forty-seventh Infantry, a York boy, has been promoted to First Lieutenant in the same regiment. He is only 19 years of age.

Skin trouble, cuts, burns, scalds and chafing quickly heal by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is imitated. Be sure you get DeWitt's. Randolph Wehler.

At the Central Pennsylvania M. E. Conference held at Chambersburg last week, Rev. Vaugn T. Rue was returned to the Gettysburg and New Oxford charge.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss M. Roberta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Livers, of Littlestown, and Mr. George Allen Buddy, Two Taverns, Wednesday morning, April 17th, at 9:30 in St. Aloysius Catholic church, Littlestown.

Squire Howard G. Blocher, in the case of the Littlestown Board of Trade vs. a number of citizens of Littlestown, last Monday evening gave judgment against the defendants for the amount of stock claimed to have been subscribed for.

Several days ago when Mrs. William Steinour was in the act of getting in the spring wagon in front of C. H. Klepper's store, at Arendtsville, the horse started suddenly and she fell on the stone curbing and fracturing her left kneecap

You cannot enjoy perfect health, rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes if your liver is sluggish and your bowels clogged DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the whole system. They never gripe. Randolph Wehler.

S. L. Johns, of McSherrystown, Tuesday acquired by purchase a controlling share of the stock of the Penn Flour Milling Co., of Hanover. Mr Johns' object is the consolidation of the Penn flouring mills with the other milling properties recenty acquired by the Eastern Milling and Export Co., of Philadelphia, of which the Hanover Milling and Manufacturing Co , is already a part.

Farmers state that the wheat throughout Adams county is in as good condition as it has been at this season for a great many years, and the prospects are now for a first-class crop. The coming hay crop will lik ly be short on account of the destruction of the clover by the long season of drought last summer. Timothy, however, seems to be a good stand in many sections, and is having a good start by reason of present favorable weather.

Spring coughs are specially dangerons and unless cured at once, serious results often follow. One Minute Cough Cure acts like magic. It is not a common mixture but is a high grade remedy. Randolph Wehler.

Advertising is the lamp that lights the way toward success.

Mr M. G. Colestock has placed some very fine furniture and fixtures in his meat market on Center Square, this week

The Ladies Fair for the benefit of St. Mary's church, McSherrystown, will open on Saturday evening and continue two weeks.

Raymond, a young son of Lewis Kuhn and wife, of Hanover, fell from a chair on Saturday morning and broke his left arm.

The annual Epworth League Convention, Harrisburg District, will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church, Gettysburg, on Thursday and Friday, June 13 and 14.

Hanson Beamer, has moved from near Gulden's Station to the Bittinger & Eberly farm, in Berwick Township. Mr. Beamer resided on the Hoke farm near Gulden's Station for 21 years.

Whilst assisting at a neighbor's flitting last week, Dairyman Frank Hetrick, of near town, received a badly bruised face by accidentally being thrown against a cook stove which was being loaded on a wagon.

On Thursday John J. Small and wife, of Mountpleasant township, made a deed of assignment to Wm. Arch McClean, Esq., conveying a tract of land of 79 acres in Mountpleasant township.

Attention is called to the large advertisement of Charles H. Bear, on 10th page of this issue. Mr. Bear is a live business man and is worthy and deserving of the large patronage he now enjoys. When in York drop in to see his store

Our patrons and friends who have remembered us in their April settlements have our thanks and best wishes. There are still quite a number that we would be thankful to if they would only leave us have at least part of amount due us.

"Messmates" the three act drama in Miller's hall Tuesday evening by local talent for benefit of New Oxford Fire Department drew a crowded house and was well rendered, each character doing their part justice.

Last Monday, at Hunterstown, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Taughinbaugh's twin boys, aged three monthes, died. Their remains were placed in one coffin and interred in the Pines grave yard. Rev. C. Held officiating

S. H. Duncan wife, and son Paul, of Abbottstown, left Tuesday morning, for Lindner, Illinois, where they will make future home. They were accompanied by Mrs. Mary Oberholtzer, of Hampton, who will spend some time visiting relatives in the West.

Monday afternoon, while assisting in the operation of a saw mill belonging to N. Musselman, neas Hunterstown, Harvey Felix, so severely injured his left hand by its coming in contact with the circular saw that four fingers had to be taken off.

Mr. George W. Lough, aged about 23 years, son of Mr. U. A. Lough, of Frederick, formerly of Emmitsburg, died in Philadelphia Wednesday. The young man entered Hannemann Hospital some time ago for the puspose of reading medicine. Pneumonia was the cause of his death. Deceased was a nephew of Mr. E. G. Lough, Hanover street.

The organ for St. Mary's church McSherrystown, arrived and is being put in position by employes of the manufacturer of the organ, Kimball & Co., Chicago. It is 20 feet long, 8 feet wide, 24 feet high and weighs about 10 tons. The instrument was purchased through O. A. Smith, of this place.

The organization of the York City Councils last Monday morning was attended by the sensational declaration of Charles E. Small, for two years Chairman of the Democratic County Committee, that hereafter he will be a Republican. The bombshell was exploded when Mr. Small took the chair after being elected President of the upper branch.

Mrs. Catherine Runk, of Farmers' P. O., in Jackson township, York county, who was married four times and lived happily with each of her four husbands, has entered upon matrimony for the fifth time. The woman, who is about 69 years of age, was united in marriage at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon to Samuel S. Harbold, 38 years of age. The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. P. Schellhamer.

Sheriff Morrison, Saturday, sold the John Wildasin property, containing 28 acres, improved, in Franklin township, to John P. Butt for $200. A tract of woodland containing 5 acres was sold to same for $10.

The examination for Teachers' Permanent certificates will be held at Gettysburg on Friday and Saturday, May 31 and June 1. Teachers desiring to enter the class should address the chairman, M. N. Wehler, East Berlin. Those who intend taking examination in other than the common branches should so inform the committee.

One crop that never fails—the dead beat crop.

The State Departmen at Harrisburg issued a charter for the H. W. Miller Co., of Hanover with a capital of $20,000.

The finest and cleanest town in the county —East Berlin.—News.

Evidently. Editor Gladfelter has never heard of or seen New Oxford.

A three-year-old child of Mr. Amos Smith, of Reading township, fell backward into a full ducket of boiling water and burned its back severely

Mrs. Matilda Strubinger, widow of the late Michael Strubinger, of Hanover, died Wednesday, morning from a complication of diseases, after an illness of three months, aged about 82 years.

"I had piles so bad I could get no rest nor find a cure until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. After using it once, I forgot I ever had anything like Piles." —E. C. Boice, Somers Point, N. Y. Look out for imitations. Be sure you ask for DeWitt's.

Henry K. Wentz, of Hanover, who looks after the electric lights, says that one morning last week he found in one of the lights a sparrow's nest in which there was a heavy thread about a yard long with an old fashioned ten cent piece attached to the string.

"A house divided against itself cannot stand," is as true in the family circle as in national, state, municipal or town affairs, and is one of the saddest reflections that comes to our homes in this happy—is that right?—land of ours. "Forgive and Forget" appears to be one of the badly-lost virtues

Removed.

The ITEM office has been removed from room over the Farmers & Merchants Bank to the middle room of the same building. The entrance now is by the hall between Hiteshew's store and Colestock's meat market.

Court Items.

John Woodward, confined in jail for costs in surety of the peace case, discharged by consent of Selina Cook, prosecutrix.

Authority granted Clayton E. Warren to draw his share in the Maria Warren fund from court.

Inquest Confirmed.

In the matter of the inquest of the real estate of Philip Bishop, late of Germany township, deceased, to which exceptions were taken, Judge Swope on Saturday filed an opinion confirming the inquest. This is the proceeding relative to the land bequeathed to the United Brethren church of Littlestown by Philip Bishop and which has been abandoned by that church and reverted to the heirs, the inquest having been held for purposes of sale.

New R. F. D. Route.

Special Agent of Rural Free Delivery Edwin W. Shriver, of Westminster, Md., visited Gettysburg last week. On Wednesday, accompanied by Postmaster Geo. F. Young, he drove to Bonneauville for the purpose of inspecting a proposed new rural delivery route which will give free service to the residents in the vicinity of Bonneauville.

It is proposed that Carrier No. 9, Jno. Eckert, from Gettysburg, be met at Bonneaville by Carrier No, 10, who in all probability will be I. A. Noel, where the mail will be transferred to the latter, who will immediately start out to serve the patrons along the new route. He will cover a drive of about 20 miles.—Compiler.

Telephone Matters.

The Gettysburg Town Council granted the Pennsylvania Telephone Company a franchise for the extension of their lines to Gettysburg, embracing all the rights and privileges enjoyed by the Adams County Telephone Company. The Pennsylvania Telephone company offer the borough of Gettysburg the free use of their poles for stringing wires, etc., in the event of an electric fire alarm system being established in that town.

The Adams County Telephone Company has been re-organized with the following officers:—

President—S. L. Johns.
Secretary—T. J. O'Neill.
Treasurer—J B. McPherson.
Directors—S. L. Johns, H. N. Gitt, G. D. Gitt, T. J. O'Neill, P. A. Miller and George Kump.

In the century just begun there will be 5,217 Sundays. Easter this year came on April 7. The earliest date on which Easter can come is March 22, and the last time it occurred on that day was in 1818, but this will not recur till the twenty third century. The earliest Easter in the new century will be March 23, 1913. Easter will fall once on the latest day, April 25, in 1943. This also occurred once in the century just passed—in 1866. Ascension day is practically always in May, but on three occasions in the past century it occurred in June, and in the new century this will happen four times.

Death's Doings.

Vincent J. Timmins, of McSherrystown, died at 5 o'clock Saturday morning from a cirrhotic liver, after an illness of three months, aged 49 years, 5 months and 22 days

Deceased was a son of the late Charles and Mary Timmins, and was born and reared on the old Timmins homestead at the edge of town now owned by Mr. J. C. Geiselman. He was united in marriage in November, 1875, to Miss Maggie Sneeringer, daughter of Samuel G. Sneeringer, of McSherrystown, who, together with four children, survives him. The children are Miss Mamie, a sister of St. Joseph's at Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia; Loraine, Maria and Eugene, at home. Two brothers and one sister also survive —Francis M., of Baltimore, George and Miss Maggie, of McSherrystown.

Mrs. Felty Hertz, of McSherrystown, died Thursday morning of the infirmities of age. She was aged 91 years. She is survive by two sons and four daughters, William, of Midway, Felty, at home, Mrs. Elizabeth Doreser and Mrs. Peter Reider, of York, and Mrs George Ackerman and Mrs. John Roth, of McSherrystown.

Aimee Topper, daughter of Mrs. Jennie Topper, of Midway, died Thursday evening aged 7 years.

Prof. William Wecker died at York, Friday, aged 72 years. For more than fifty years he was one of the best known musicians of York.

Prof. Wecker was for a number of years teacher of the old Citizens Band of this place.

Jesse Kohler, died Sunday, afternoon at 1.30 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs J. Emory Bair, at Gettysburg, of a complication of diseases, aged 82 years, 4 months and 20 days. Deceased was a son of the late Philip Kohler and wife, and was born and reared at Kohler's Mill, near New Oxford. When a young man he was married to Miss Sarah Kindig, a daughter of the late John Kindig, of near Hanover. He was engaged for a time in teaming from York, before the railroad to Hanover Junction was built, and was also in the milling business at Kohler's Mill.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Alfred Heltzel, of York, spent some time with his brothers in this place.

Mr. Elmer Haar, of Washington, D. C., spent Sunday with friends in town.

Rev. Geo. M. Glenn, of Roaring Springs, a former pastor of the M. E. church, this place, paid a short visit to his many friends here, last week.

Geo. A. Maus made a business trip to York on Monday.

Mrs. Edw. Mayhew and daughter, of Johnstown, Mr. Wm. Weaver and wife, son Earnest and daughter Miss Olivet, of Mt. St. Mary's, Md., visited at Mr. John S. Weaver's, Hanover street, the past week.

Miss Nettie Swartz, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been called home on account of the illness of her mother and sister.

Miss Helen Harper, of Pitt street, left Monday, to visit friends in Baltimore and Washington.

Miss Jennie Roth, of Church street, has gone to Walter's Park, Wernersville, where she will take a course in massage.

Miss Gertrude Shunk, of National Park Seminary, Forest Glenn, Md., visited her friend, Miss Naomi Schnell, Hanover street.

Miss Amanda Fawney, of Gettysburg, spent a few days in town, as the guest of Miss Maud Coleman, Philadelphia street.

Mrs. Harry Reed, of Berlin street, visited her parents at Two Taverns, a few days last week.

Allen Fiscel and wife, of Two Taverns, spent a few days with friends in town.

Miss Dottie B. Neely, of Maryland College, Lutherville, Md., spent Easter with her parents, near New Chester.

Brother Shoots Brother.

Pondtown, on the Franklin county side of the South Mountain, adjoining the Cold Spring district in this county, was the scene of a quarrel between brothers, last Thursday in which Aaron Calimer received a bullet in his right leg near the thigh, and his brother James is now in the Chambersburg jail on the charge of assault and battery with intent to kill. It is said that the Calimer brothers had been quarreling at the mountain cabin of Owen Wise, a blacksmith. Its culmination was reached when James, peering through the window of the cabin invited Aaron into a clearing, saying "Aaron, come out; I want to shoot you." It is not likely Aaron would have responded to the invitation had he been sober, but in a spirit of recklessness he stepped outside the door. Almost simultaneously a shot was heard and Aaron fell to the ground with a bullet in his right leg. The Calimers are familiar figures in the Franklin county courts.

In a Grain Bag.

Messrs Michael and Adam Albright, two bachelor brothers from Codorus township, drove up to the Hanover Saving Fund bank on Saturday and hitched their horse. The men then took from their buggy an ordinary grain bag and carried it into the bank. Approaching Mr. J. N. Slagle, cashier, they remarked "we have some money," and emptied the contents of the sack, which contained $1,000 in silver, on the counter. Messrs. Slagle and Winebrenner were kept busy for quite a while counting the coin—dollars, quarters and halves.—Record.

CHURCH NOTICES.

There will be preaching in the First Evangelical Lutheran church next Sunday at 7 p. m.

Sunday School 9 a m.; Y P. S. C. E. 6 p. m.; Junior C. E. at 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

REV. FERDINAND HESSE, Pastor.

Divine services in St. Paul's Reformed church next Sunday at 7 p. m.

Sunday School 9 a m.; C. E. Society 6 p. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday 7.00 p. m.

REV. P. E. HEIMER, Pastor.

There will be one Mass in the Catholic Church next Sunday—High Mass at 10:30 o'clock.

REV. TIMOTHY KENNEDY, Pastor.

There will be preaching in the M. E church next Sunday at 10 a. m.; Sunday School 9 a. m.; Epworth League 6 p. m

REV. VAUGHN T. RUE, Pastor.

"Last winter I was confined to my bed with a very bad cold on the lungs. Nothing gave me relief. Finally my wife bought a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure that effected a speedy cure I can not speak too highly of that excellent remedy."—Mr. T. K. Houseman, Manatawney, Pa. Randolph Wehler.

THE MARKETS.

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No. 2 "	68
Raked "	50
Rye	40 @ 44
Corn	38 @ 40
Oats	22 @ 26
Clover seed, per lb	8 @ 10
Timothy seed	1.00 @ 1.50
Timothy hay	6.00 @ 14.00
Rye straw	5.00 @ 7.00

MARRIED.

April 7, by Rev. F. S. Lindaman, G. C. Hamm, of Hanover, and Miss Viola Newman, of Union township.

April 7, by Rev. J. A. Metzger, Hamilton Luckenbaugh, of near Hanover, and Miss Ida M. Hykes, of East Berlin.

April 2, by Rev. F. S. Lindaman, Jonas Ohler and Mrs. Emma E. Palmer, both of Mountjoy township.

April 2, by Rev. R. H. Clare, J. A. Jacobs and Miss Mary J. Brenneman, both of East Berlin.

April 8, by Rev. A. R. Steck, Emory H. Forrest and Miss Stella M. Ziegler, both of Gettysburg.

April 2, by Rev. D. W. Woods, Kemper E. Thomas, of Butler township, and Miss Christine Stahle, of Mummasburg.

April 2, at Hunterstown, by Rev. C. E. Held, John A. McDermad, of Menallen township, and Miss Annie E. Eckert, of Straban township.

April 4, in York county, by Rev. T. W. Haven, J. I. Staley and Miss Effie M. Thomas, both of Straban township.

April 5, at Littlestown, by Rev. F. S. Seitz, John Snyder, of Mountjoy township, and Miss Maggie Masters, of Littlestown.

DIED.

Deaths free—tributes, verses, &c., 5c per line

April 4, in McSherrystown, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Hertz, aged 89 years, 11 months and 4 days.

April 1, near Fairfield, of pneumonia. Mr Uriah Shriner. A widow and five small children survive.

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A Busy Doctor, Who Raised Millions for Public Works.

The late Dr. William Pepper of Philadelphia is the subject of a biographical sketch contributed to the Century by Francis Newton Thorpe, which reveals a character and career too little known throughout America.

In Philadelphia a bronze statue was unveiled, December 29, 1899, to the memory of William Pepper. It stands amid the creations of his genius, and marks the culmination of his life-work. Thirty years ago the site was a plowed field, part of the Blockley farm; today it overlooks the buildings, some 25 in number, of the University of Pennsylvania, the academic home of about 3000 students annually. Adjoining is the University hospital, the Free Museum of Science and Art, and the permanent buildings of the Philadelphia Commercial museums.

Dr. Pepper was the son of a physician, the celebrated "elder Pepper," as he is called, to distinguish father and son. The father pursued advanced medical studies together with Oliver Wendell Holmes in Paris, when American students rarely went abroad. On his return to Philadelphia, he became professor of the theory and practice of medicine in the university, acquired an extensive practice, and died in 1864, at the early age of 56. A few months before the father's death, the son was graduated in medicine at the University of Pennsylvania.

Great physicians are rare, and rarer is the man who also is at the same time equally great as man of affairs, as educator, and as public benefactor. Such a man the son became. In 1870, at the age of 27, he projected the University hospital, and boldly set out to raise an endowment fund of $750,000. In less than four years he secured more than half a million, including two appropriations of $100,000 each from the legislature. The hospital was formally opened in 1874. Its creation was necessitated by the removal of the university from its old site, where the postoffice now stands. No such task had before been done by a citizen of Philadelphia, and its performance gave Dr. Pepper rank among the first men of the city. After some 30 years of action his public account stood something like this:

Institutions founded: the University hospital, the Commercial museums, and the Philadelphia free library. Institutions re-organized and recreated: the improvement of the city's water supply, and an entire change in the attitude of the public mind toward education and the ideals of life. To carry out these plans, Dr. Pepper raised above $10,000,000 and secured about 100 acres of land from the municipality, lying near the heart of Philadelphia. To the execution of this task he gave the service of one of the most acute and at the same time most practical minds ever vouchsafed to man. To this service of his genius he added the personal gift of nearly half a million dollars, which he earned in the practice of an exacting profession. It may be doubted whether any other American has run a like career.

His sudden death, of angina pectoris, at Pleasantown, Cal., August 26, 1898, occurred just as he had completed the first week of his 56th year. He had sought rest and health too late. His physicians said of him that at death he had the heart of a man of 80. He had literally worked himself out. A brave man, endowed with genius; a unique man, delicately aggressive, incapable of wronging his fellows, inspired with lofty ideals for the health, welfare, and happiness of his fellowmen, and treating little minds as loving parents treat mischievous children—this man had gone, and left behind him, as Disraeli said of the Great Duke, "the contemplation of his character."

Held Sheep: Court Held Shepherd.

A delightful example of the perversity of the brute creation, most disgusting to the unfortunate victim, however, caused a suit for damages in an English court in the sheep country last week. The shepherd, who was the defendant, was driving a flock of sheep through a town when one sheep, becoming detached from the flock, saw its companions through two windows and jumped through the glass of the first window. On getting inside it saw its companions outside and jumped through the other window and joined them. The shepherd defended the suit with the plea that the sheep were responsible and not he, but the court made him pay $70 damages. For punishment, he converted the animal into mutton as soon as he left the court.

Shoes for the Dogs.

Shoes are used on the feet of dogs in the Klondike, to enable the animals to travel with great ease and speed, as well as to protect the feet from injury. A shoe firm in Massachusetts has received an order for 600 sets, each comprising four shoes and costing $1.

Green croidolite, or "cats eye," is found in New Mexico.

Mrs. Mary Wardell has retired as organist of the Greenwood Baptist church, Brooklyn, after serving continuously for thirty years. Mrs. Wardell retires that she may have more time to devote to temperance work.

The first great fire in an American city occurred at Boston, August 8, 1679. By this conflagration 150 buildings were destroyed, the loss amounting to over two hundred thousand pounds sterling.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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Few people may be cognizant of the fact that there is in existence an act of the British Parliament which provides that persons who fail to attend divine services on Sunday shall be liable to imprisonment or fine. The statute dates from the period of the protectorate, but that it is rarely enforced is proved only too conclusively by the sparse attendances which take place at so many public places of worship.

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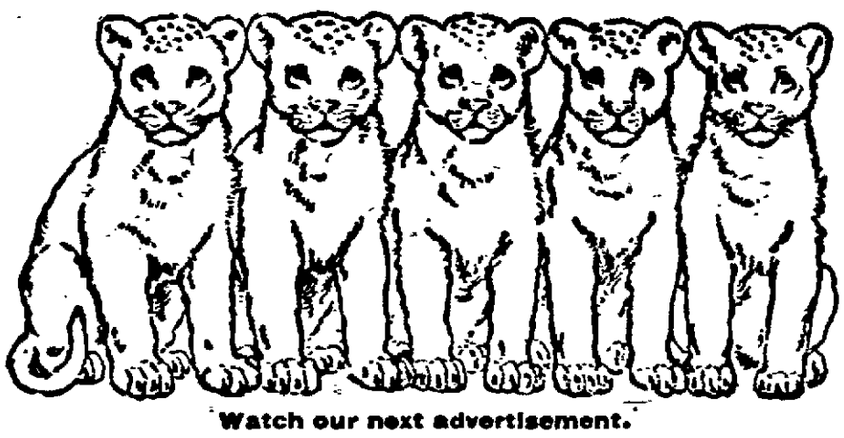

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Lane's Family Medicine
Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Submarine boats and torpedoes for use in warfare do not seem to be held in favor by M. de Lanessan, the French Minister of Marine, in spite of the generally supposed predilection of the French for such measure of harbor defense. M. de Lanessan is quoted as saying that neither submarine boat nor torpedo is of great value in war, owing to their limited range of action.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.
Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once, delays are dangerous.

A recruiting officer who has been in Iowa says that the percentage of men accepted in that State on offering themselves for army service is considerably above the average in any other State. Enlistments in Iowa are largely from the farms, and the vast majority of young fellows who offer themselves are young, strong and hardy.

When feeling tired, discouraged and generally "used-up," take Garfield Headache Powders; they are made from Herbs and are genuinely good. Send to Garfield Tea Company, Brooklyn, N. Y., for free samples.

The output of coal in Washington State for 1900 was about 2,200,000 tons.

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If afflicted with weak eyes, use Thompson's Eye Water

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

Sunlight is a bundle of rays of light—red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo and violet all mixed together. The mixture of all colors is white light, the absence of all colors is utter darkness.

Experiments are being carried out in the Austrian army with a new portable oven for field and transport purposes. The oven at present in use is a very unwieldly and heavy article, and has to be transported in sections. The new oven, however, may be carried intact upon a cart, and if necessary, can be utilized for baking purposes while on the march.

The surface of a sponge is covered with little holes that are larger at the top than at the bottom, while the whole mass contains a system of channels. When the animal is alive water is kept flowing constantly through these channels by means of minute hair-like appendages which the little polyps agitate. The water thus drawn brings with it the food required for the sustenance of the sponge.

A German periodical contains an account of the most recent ascents of Count Zeppelin's navigable balloon. Several modifications have been introduced into the construction of the machine, one of which is an alteration of the steering apparatus. The speed of propulsion relatively to the air was estimated at about eight metres per second—about 18 miles an hour. The weight of the machines was about 10 tons.

According to Professor Adam Sedgwick there is reason to believe that buds share in the growing old of the parent plant. He illustrates his meaning in this way: Suppose the average life of an individual plant, say a tree, to be 100 years, then a bud removed when the parent plant is 50 years old will also be virtually 50 years of age, and if transplanted by grafting will be able to live on the graft only 50 years more.

While it is found that the glacial flow in the region of what is now the Connecticut valley was directly southward (as we know by the glacial scratches and striae on the upper surfaces of ledges recently denuded of soil, and by trains of boulders), it was eastward, or at least east by southeast, over the region bordering on Massachusetts bay. The geologists find evidence also that the forward edge of the glacier extended some 50 or more miles beyond the present coast line. Georges Banks and the sands of Cape Cod are the abiding visible record of the glacier deposition that went on not far away.

Beds and Sleeping.

A German doctor has been investigating the question of beds, and the result of his labors has been lately given to the world in the pages of a German journal. In the first place, to convince mankind of the importance of his subject, the doctor reminds all mankind that we spend from one-fourth to one-third of our lives in bed, after which he proceeds to advise the world on the healthiest kind of couch and the most sensible way of reposing thereon. Hard beds appear to be the best, and it is laid down that children from the earliest years should be trained to sleep on these hard beds. Soft beds are too warm, and do not admit sufficient air. Even in the case of the hard bed the sleeper is warned to see that his covering whether woolen or cotton, is not so heavy that the body is kept over warm and fresh air is excluded. This ventilation according to our authority, is all important. But what will middle aged people say when the man of science bids them dispense with their pillows? Pillows, he declares, are evils, and it is right that we should sleep with limbs uncramped on a perfectly horizontal plane. Knowing the weakness of human flesh, however, the doctor declares that if pillows are retained they should be neither too soft nor too thick. A point on which most people will agree with this authority is the necessity for constant (the doctor asks for daily) airing and sunning of the bedding. Much ill health may be attributed to carelessness in this matter. —London Globe.

A Substitute for Celluloid.

In the Black Forest a new substance has been produced by the boiling of untanned leather in oil, which has, first, all the property of being a good electrical insulator, but, besides this, it can be used for manifold purposes. This new material can be polished, and in its structure resembles horn, and can be pressed or worked into any form whatsoever, either directly after the boiling process or later, after the hardened hide has been made soft and elastic by being dipped into a salt or alum bath. By means of polishing this material can be made almost transparent, and it can also be given different degrees of hardness, so that a substance is obtained which can be kneaded, embossed, stamped, pressed, drawn and twisted into any desired shape or design.

UNDER THE SNOW.

Ghastly Truths Revealed on the Disappearance of Winter's White Mantle.

Deadly dangers lurk in the ground left bare by the departing snow. All Winter long there have been accumulating deadly disease germs.

These have been protected and kept alive by the covering of snow and now, with the first warm days, these death-bringing microbes are awakened by the rays of the sun, and as the ground dries they are carried to all corners of the community in the dust that is blown everywhere by the Spring winds.

The human body at this time is particularly susceptible to these germs, especially the germs of fevers. The system has been depleted by the foregoing Winter. The blood is sluggish and filled with impurities. The nerves have not recovered from the tension they have been under for the past months. The stomach, the bowels, the kidneys, the liver are all at their worst.

It is, therefore, not strange that these germs of disease find fertile ground in which to thrive, flourish and develop into deadly ills.

Spring is the time of year when one should fear an attack of fever, especially when the system is depleted, one should dread any severe illness. The vitality is at a low ebb. There is less power of resistance to throw off disease, and it is on this account that fatalities are so much greater during the Spring months than at any other time of the year.

There is but one way to ward off such dangers, and that is to fortify the human body so that it will become impregnable to the germs of invading disease.

To do this take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. It will build you up quickly, it will re-establish your waning appetite, it will give you restful nights of sleep, it will give vim and vigor to the nerves, and it will expel all [illegible] poisons that have accumulated in the body besides counteracting the effects of others that may accumulate.

Following is an instance that will illustrate the wonderful power of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

Sheriff Jonas T. Stevens, who is sheriff of Hyde Park, Vt., says:—"I have used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy especially as a blood purifier. I had a very severe humor on my arms, accompanied by a very bad itching, so severe that I could not sleep nights, causing me great inconvenience by the loss of sleep by the itching. A friend advised me to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, which I did with the most satisfactory results, for the trouble has entirely disappeared, and I can now rest comfortably nights and have none of my former misery from the burning, itching sensations."

Remember Dr. Greene's advice will be given to any one desiring same absolutely free if they will write or call upon him at his office, 35 W. 14th St., New York City.

DEATH OF A VETERAN IRON WORKER.

There passed away in Allegheny, Pa., the other day, a man whose career has embraced an epitome of the development and progress of railroad building—Philip James. The chief fame of this extraordinary old man was that he puddled the iron for the first T-rail. This great innovation in iron manufacturing was produced in 1831, at the Dowlias Iron Works, Dowlias, Glamorganshire, Wales, owned by Josiah John Guest and Rev. Thomas Guest.

Mr. James was born in Wales in 1813. At the age of 7 he began work in the iron mill, sweeping plates. Young James was later placed in charge of a furnace, and was not yet 19 when he assisted in making the first T-rail. He came to this country in 1837, locating as puddler at Haverstraw, N. Y. Later he moved to Reading, Pa., and in 1843 went to Pittsburg, where he passed the rest of his long and useful life.

PHILIP JAMES.
(Puddled the iron for the first T-rail.)

The Missing Sabbath.

An old globe circler says that in going around the world there is scarcely one traveler in a hundred who remembers that in going from east to west a day is gained and in going from west to east a day is lost. Many of those who come into contact with this truth knew all about it when they were at school, but never think of it on the high seas. In illustration of the point he tells this story:

"My first trip around the world was from England to Australia. Out in the middle of the Pacific a sign was put up announcing that the date was Thursday, July 17. This was all right but the next day the same sign was put up again. This was an opportunity for those of us who thought we were real wise to show the ship's officers that they were not infallible. After we had expended our choicest sarcasm and had been rebuffed by various officers the captain set us straight.

"On my way back one day the card went up announcing that it was Saturday, August 13. The next day the sign said Monday, August 15. Two ministers on board thought the captain a somewhat profane old salt, who had skipped a day to avoid the religious services which they had prepared. He convinced them that it was a mere coincidence that on that particular date the lost day was Sunday. Since then I have never attempted to teach the ship's navigator his business, and he can skip a century if he wishes, without my saying a word."—Baltimore Sun.

BROKERS OF LONDON.

A Modest Class Who Do Not Advertise Their Business.

Speaking of stockbrokers in London the Daily Mail says they have little in common but a desire to avoid publicity. The individual member must not advertise his business, and he shrinks from advertising himself. The New York broker rejoices to see his name in print, but the London broker, before vouchsafing the barest information to a newspaper reporter, insists upon a promise that his name shall not be mentioned. This modesty, however, only holds good so far as the stock exchange is concerned, and it is doubtless due largely to that mysterious fear of the autocratic committee, which only finds parallel in the schoolboy's awe of his master, or in a Russian editor's deference to the censor. He likes to see himself mentioned in society paragraphs—he is even suspected of occasionally seeking this— and he enjoys the publicity that comes from sport, speechmaking, subscription lists and prospectuses. He used to be content with a small business and regarded himself as well off with an income which now some of his clerks would despise. He did his business on conservative lines; he liked to stick to investors, and by cold-watering speculators—especially speculators in a small way—he did much to encourage the bucketshop, with its tapes, its covers, its knavery and its false hopes. All that is now changed. Stockbrokers have more than doubled their number and competition has brought down their commissions. They encourage their clients to speculate by all legitimate means, and they frankly confess that they cannot live by investment alone.

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Dress Goods.

NO better place anywhere to buy your dress goods than here—we do not sell you cheap shoddy stuff—that's not allowed here, but our prices for good new dress goods are not much higher than you'll pay for these cheaper goods—come here for your new spring dress—we'll please you and at a saving too.

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Japanese Wash Silks, colored stripes, real value 50c yard, your price here 39c.

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27 inch Plain Colors Japanese Wash Silks, 22 different styles, the regular price is 75c yard, yours here for 50c yard.

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38 inch all wool silk finished Henrietta in old rose, reseda, castor, red, etc., a very special value at 50c yard.

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40 inch Dark Gray, Medium Gray and Silver Gray Mohair, one of the best fabrics for spring wear, well worth 65c yard for 50c yard.

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52 inch Satin Prunella cloth in grey, castor, reseda, new red, new blue and black, worth everywhere $1.65 yard, our price $1.25 yard.

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Good yard wide unbleached muslin, slightly damaged by spots, was 6c yard, its yours now for 3c yard.

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Men's good heavy working Shirts, made of good cheviot, double sewed and worth 39c each.

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Men's double reinforced heavy cheviot working shirts worth 39 cents each.

50c

Men's Madras and Bedford Cord Shirts, soft bosoms, the finest line for 50c that you ever saw.

15c

Men's heavy farmers' Suspenders, leather tipped, extra strong 25c Suspenders for 15c pair.

7c

Men's Heavy Gray mixed Socks, the regular 10c for 7c pair.

10c

Men's Rubber Collars, good for a year, just wash them and they're always clean

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Valencinues laces 8c dozen yards, 1c yard.
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Lace allovers for yokings 29c, 35c, 39c 49c, 59c to 89c yard.
Big lot of Torchon laces from 2 in. to 6 in. wide worth 10c for 5c yard.
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We have the biggest Hosiery department in York—everything you want and the strongest and best that's made.

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